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WHITES WINNERS

LEAD THE BLUE DIVISION IN SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

ATTENDANCE 21,307

White Division's Majority Was 1908—Bad Roads Caused Falling Off in Some Districts.

The Blue and White attendance contest which has been conducted by the Nodaway County Sunday School association during the past four months, closed May 1, with the White division in the lead. During the month of April, the total attendance in the White division was 10,839 and in the Blue division 10,468, making a total attendance of 21,307, and an average attendance of 4,261.

The total attendance for the entire contest in each division was as follows. White, 83,271; Blues, 31,363. The White division won by a majority of 1908.

"While the Sunday school attendance of Nodaway county is not all that the Sunday School association had hoped to make it," said G. B. Roseberry, president of the association, this morning. "Many things have hindered in a way that was not expected at the beginning of the contest. The weather was very unfavorable, and the roads in bad condition, which made it impossible for many of the rural schools to conduct their Sunday schools during the first three months of the contest. However, during the month of April six schools have been organized and two new schools have recently been organized.

"All of the Sunday schools are growing in attendance and although the contest has closed it is hoped that each school will endeavor to gain in attendance during the summer so that at least 75 per cent of the Sunday schools enrollment of the county will be in regular attendance by September so that a good report may be made at the County Convention which meets at Pickering, September 19 and 20.

Schedule of Twp. S. S. Conventions.

Mr. Roseberry also announced the following township conventions which will be held between now and the 8th of July, on the following dates, and by the following teams:

May 13 the first team, composed of Miss Eva Davis, Miss Julia Denny, and G. B. Roseberry will hold conventions in Green township at Quitman Methodist church in the morning, and will hold the Atchison township convention at Clearmont in the Baptist church in the afternoon.

May 20 the first team will hold the Monroe township convention at Skidmore, and the third team, composed of O. G. Null, Prof. A. H. Cooper, E. M. Claypool, and Miss Iva Vance, will hold a convention in Independence township at Parnell.

May 27 the first team will hold a convention in Lincoln township at Elmo, and a convention will also be held on this date in Nodaway township at Burlington Junction.

June 17 the following conventions will be held: Hughes township at Graham, first team; Hopkins township at Hopkins, third team; Union township, at Pickering, third team.

June 24, two conventions will be held. Jackson township at Ravenwood, second team, composed of H. C. Bowers, Miss Lucy Davis, Mrs. R. M. Barry and White Cloud township, at Arkoe, first team.

July 8, Polk township, at Maryville, all teams.

September 19 and 20, Nodaway county Sunday school convention will be held at Pickering.

November 20, 21 and 22, State Sunday school convention at Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKee and daughter, of near Ravenwood, were in Maryville on business yesterday.

THE BEARCATS TO TARKIO

Normal Boys Will Try to Take Their Ancient Rivals to an Old-Fashioned Trimming.

The Normal baseball team will travel over to Tarkio tomorrow and try to take their ancient rivals to an old-fashioned trimming. If the Normalites can win this game, they will retrieve themselves for their poor showing in the game with William Jewell College here last Friday.

Coach Palfreyman has given the team a big shake-up and hopes to get good results from the new combination. The biggest problem to solve was the filling of the hole left by the loss of William Todd of Albany, who enlisted in the army. Todd was the best outfielder on the team. N. C. Wagers was shifted to Todd's position, center field, and Neil Garard was brought in from the outfield and placed at second.

Scarlett and Allison have changed places, Scarlett going to the outfield, and Allison to first. Bird and Ferguson retained their places on the right side of the diamond and the battery will remain the same, Van Cleve and Sawyers. Andrews or DeMoss will take right field.

PLAN FOR DECORATION DAY

Burlington Junction Residents Will Also Observe Memorial Day, May 27 — Committees Appointed.

Burlington Junction residents are planning to observe Memorial day, Sunday, May 27, and Decoration day, Wednesday, May 30.

The memorial services will be held at the Methodist church on the Sunday designated at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Ernest Snider will preach the sermon.

Decoration day services will be held at the Christian church at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Horace S. Weaver will deliver the address after which the graves will be decorated.

The following committees have been appointed to make the programs a success.

Automobiles—C. B. Zarn, J. W. Praiswater, L. O. Staples, J. W. Smith.

Flowers—Mrs. Mary Peters, Mrs. Frank Nicholas, Miss Zeffie Johnston, Mrs. C. D. Lane, Mrs. W. P. Nicholas, Mrs. C. T. Ferguson, Mrs. Fred Greenelsh.

Marking graves—W. H. Davis, A. F. Stitt, John Fox.

Music—R. N. Barber, R. D. Corken, Mrs. C. E. Walker, Miss Alice Peters.

Flags—Commercial club.

FITE CASE APPEALED

14-Year-Old Boy, Sentenced to Reformatory, May Be Released On Bond.

Herschel Fite was sentenced to three years in the reform school at Boonville, late yesterday afternoon by the county court on the information of Prosecuting Attorney Sawyers, who stated that the boy was incorrigible and that his associates are bad, and that unless restrained he was liable to become a criminal. Fite is only fourteen years old and was arrested by Sheriff Dowden for stealing chickens.

An appeal was filed today by Ellis G. Cook, attorney for Fite, and this was granted by the county court. The boy will be released on bond as soon as it is procured. The bond had not been procured late this afternoon.

Will Observe Mothers' Day.

Special exercises will be held at the First Christian church in honor of Mothers' Day. The Sunday school orchestra will give a program and each mother who attends will be given a carnation.

Hopkins Men for Officers.

Harlan D. Wells and John M. Garrison of Hopkins were examined yesterday at St. Joseph for Officers' Reserve corps.

Dr. Kessler of Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

CHILDREN'S MEET

TRAINING SCHOOL PROGRAM AT NORMAL THIS AFTERNOON.

FOR THE GIRLS AND BOYS

Children Give Program in Gymnasium Followed by Track and Field Events —Prizes Given to High Scorers.

The Training school exercises conducted by the teachers of the Training school were held in the Normal gymnasium and at the Normal park this afternoon.

The first part of the program was held in the gymnasium. The following acted as ushers: Bennett French, Eugene DeArmond, Paul Farmer, Shane King, Lawrence Masters, and Cleo Shinabargar. Kindergarten songs and exercises were first given, followed by a reading by Miss Lesan. The other numbers were: Virginia Reel; Star Spangled Banner, Miss Peter; Duet chorus, Seventh and Eighth grades girls; Flower Songs; Flower Song, Primary girls; Soldier Boys; Dance, "The Rill," Grades I, II, and III; Red Cross Girls; Loyal Hearts Primary girls; Flag salute; Military drill; Maypole dance; Girls of grades four to eight; Talk, Mrs. Colbert; and Talk, by Dr. E. L. Harrington.

The Field Events.

Track and field events for both girls and boys followed. The Department of Physical Education awarded a glove, a bat and a ball to the winners respectively of the highest, next highest, and third highest number of points.

The girls' program of field events was as follows: Flay Relay, Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4; Ball throwing, Grades 5, 6 7, and 8; Three-legged race (boys) Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4; Potato race, Grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8; 20-yard dash, Grades 1, 2, and 3; 20-yard dash (boys), Grades 1, 2, and 3; 50-yard dash, Grades 7 and 8; nail driving contest, Grades 7 and 8; Nail driving contest, Grades 5 and 6. Twirling shuttle relay, Grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

The Boys' Track Meet.

The boys' track meet with classes, events and entries were as follows:

Class A—120 pounds and over.

Events—100-yard dash; 120-yard low hurdles; running high jump; putting 12-lb. shot; running broad jump; pole vault.

Entries—Eugene DeArmond, Paul Farmer, Bennett French, Shane King, Lawrence Masters.

Class B—90 to 120 pounds.

Events—75-yard dash; running high jump; standing broad jump; three-legged race, 50 yards; sack race, 50 yards; throwing baseball.

Entries—Ralph Eversole, Russell Howard, Harold Roelofson, James Sherer, Cleo Shinabargar, Allen Shupe Glen Trullinger.

Class C—75 to 90 pounds.

Events—50-yard dash; three-legged race, 50 yards; sack race, 50 yards; standing broad jump; pole vault; running high jump.

Entries—Paul Brown, Felix Brown, Dorsey Childress, Delos Dowling, Orville Fannon, Neville Hartman, Lewis Howard, Homer Ogden.

Class D—Below 75 pounds.

Events—40-yard dash; three-legged race; sack race; running high jump; standing broad jump; throwing baseball.

Entries—Ned Colbert, Dean Dorman, Conrad Fair, Eldon Green, Harold Green, Forrest Martin.

Officials—Neil Garard, Henry Gannon, Paul Andrew, F. W. Baker, Glenn Corum. They will be assisted by the class in Theory of Coaching.

The officials at the track meet were: Neil Garard, Henry Gannon, Paul Andrew, F. W. Baker and Glenn Corum, assisted by the class in Theory of Coaching.

JOFFRE AT WEST POINT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, May 11.—After two days of intensified wining and dining and bowing and smiling, Joffre and his party quit New York for a first glimpse of the mainstay of the United States army. They departed this morning for a day at West Point.

CHINESE WAR PARTY DEFEATED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pekin, May 11.—The war party was defeated in the first test vote in the Chinese House of Representatives. The house rejected the motion to vote for a declaration of war against Germany, although mobs on the outside were clamoring for war.

LARGE BARN BURNS

BUILDING BELONGING TO JAMES VERT OF WILCOX, DESTROYED.

LOSS WAS ABOUT $3,500

Corn, Harness, Implements, Wagon and Tools Among Things Lost—Covered By Insurance.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed a barn belonging to James Vert, living three-fourths of a mile southwest of Wilcox at 10:30 o'clock last night. The loss was about $3,500 and was fully covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered by Clark Lambert a farm hand on the Vert place, who had returned from Maryville about 10 o'clock in the evening and had put a saddle in the barn. He had been at the house fifteen minutes when he said he noticed a light reflecting on the wall. Looking out, he saw the whole barn in flames. Nothing could be done to save the barn and the efforts of Mr. Vert and the neighbors were directed toward saving the garage and the hog house, which were situated nearby.

Mr. Vert had turned all of his horses into the pasture and consequently, saved all of them, but he lost 200 bushels of corn, twenty-five bushels of seed corn, three tons of hay, a wagon, about eight or ten sets of harness, a corn planter, two cultivators and all of his tools. Mr. Vert paid $85 for a new set of harness just two weeks ago.

The garage which the fire fighters saved contained an automobile and two buggies.

ESTATES ADMINISTERED

Probate Court Appoints Four Men to Act As Administrators This Morning.

Several estates were administered on in probate court yesterday. Herbert M. Hildebrant was appointed administrator of the estate of James M. Hildebrant, who died at his home in Guilford on May 4. Charles H. Milbank was selected as administrator of the estate of Samuel Milbank, who died at his home in Clearmont on April 16. Henry Wright was appointed administrator of the estate of Lena J. Wright, who died April 27.

Thomas L. Clements was appointed administrator of the estate of Leo Clements, who died at Guilford May 3. The estate is left to his wife, Sarah B. Clements and after her death or remarriage to be given to his three children, Leona M. Clements, Thomas L. Clements and Mary J. Reynolds. The will was written February 11, 1906, and the witnesses were Joseph B. Wood and A. C. Laughlin.

MISS CARYL COOK PLEASES

Charming Interpretation of "Peter Pan," Heard by Small But Appreciative Audience.

Miss Caryl Cook in her charming interpretation of "Peter Pan," was greeted by a small but appreciative audience at the Christian church last night. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church.

Miss Cook was assisted by Miss Hazel Smith, who played the operatic scores during the reading.

Comments from those who heard the reading were all favorable, Miss Cook's marvelous versatility in presenting the characters of the "Pirate King," "Peter" and "Wendy," deserving special mention.

12 Rural Graduates.

There will be twelve graduates of the rural schools of Jackson township and commencement exercises will be held at Ravenwood Monday night. The graduates are: Merlin Warehime, Myrtle Tucker, Sylvia Rogers, Eva Lawson, Alma Wygal, Elmer Stockstill, Fred McKee, Glen Goodson, Mona Farr, Dorse V. Conn, Curtis S. Bishop and Marvin Bishop.

Burlington Junction Meet.

The township field and track meet for the pupils of the grade and rural schools of Nodaway, Lincoln, Green and Atchison townships, will be held at Burlington Junction beginning at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The prizes for the different events have been donated by the merchants of the town.

P. L. Growney returned last night from a business trip to Kansas City.

THE NEW BROOM.

—Greene in New York Telegram.

GERMANS CONTINUE ATTACK

Artillery Duels Between Enemies Constant Without Distinct Advantage On Either Side.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 11.—The Germans are still continuing their attacks on General Haig's forces, east of Arras, the British war office reported today, but at no place, it was stated, have the Germans been successful in their attempts to regain the ground wrested from them. The artillery duels between the Germans and the British are almost constant without either side having any distinct advantage.

Capture German Positions.

Paris, May 11.—The French last night stormed and captured the German positions in the region of Chevreux.

DISCUSS COUNTY ROADS

H. W. Graham, Road Supervisor is Receiving Applications for County Highways Included in System.

H. W. Graham of Chillicothe, road supervisor of the State Highway department for District No. 1, is in Maryville this afternoon meeting with the county clerk, the county court and he members of the Highway Commission in order to determine the county roads that will become part of the state highway system. Mr. Graham is receiving applications from the commissioners and the roads will be designated later.

The following are present at the meeting: E. C. Wolfers, Sr., Hopkins, Harry Wamsley, Arkoe, John Burch, and John Cleary Clearmort; I. V. Moore, Ravenwood and C. A. Wolfers, Hopkins.

Elmo Club Organized.

Elmo had already organized its Food club when Prof. R. A. Kinnaird of the Extension department arrived and the meeting time last night was spent in discussing the work to be carried on by the club. The following officers were elected at a previous meeting: President, George P. Shottaugh; vice-president, A. B. Heitmann, and secretary-treasurer, C. R. LaMar.

To Visit in Moberly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve left this morning for Moberly, their former home, where they will visit old friends and attend to some business matters.

Zebrugge Is Bombarded.

London, May 11. — Zebrugge was bombarded last night by the English aeroplanes. A flotilla of torpedo boats also shelled the Belgian coast.

Mrs. Carl Wray and two children and Mrs. Eunice Parr of Guilford are visiting in Savannah this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Pickering are among the out-of-town people in Maryville today.

STATES WAR PLANS

COUNCIL OF DEFENSE DECIDES MEASURES TO HELP COUNTRY.

COUNTY UNITS ARE ASKED

Co-operation in All Kinds of Service Is Big Need for the Nation Now.

The plans that will enable Missouri to do its share in conserving the nation's food supply have been completed. The newly formed Missouri Council of Defense, which met yesterday in St. Louis, perfected an organization for carrying on the work. The plan as outlined by Dean F. B. Mumford of the College of Agriculture, chairman of the council, calls first for organizing permanent headquarters at Jefferson City. A secretary will be appointed, with offices in the capitol.

The main work will then be placed in the hands of eleven committees. These will be organization, agriculture and food production, distribution and marketing, farm product survey, food conservation, labor, mineral resources, public education, army and navy, finance and women's defense work. These committees will carry on their work by forming councils of defense in each county and township.

Means of Co-operation Told.

The council is giving out this statement to the people, and especially to the county and township councils, urging them to co-operate with the nation in the following ways:

1. Increase the production of food crops by:
   a. Increasing the acreage.
   b. Increasing the yields per acre.
   c. Increasing the garden crops.
   d. Preventing destruction of the crops by injurious insects.
   e. Writing to the College of Agriculture for information on all matters pertaining to agriculture and food production.
   f. Write to the State Board of Agriculture for information on the distributing and marketing of farm products, control of animal diseases, and farm and crop statistics.
2. Conserve food by:
   a. Preventing waste.
   b. Preserve foods by canning and

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RUSSIAN DANGER

ABSENCE OF UNITY MAY CAUSE SEPARATE PEACE WITH GERMANY

HAVE 3 GOVERNMENTS

Revolt of Workmen in Munitions District Further Adds to Complications in Situation.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 11.—Three separate governments exist in Russia and owing to the lack of activity and solidarity in Petrograd there is real danger of Russia negotiating a separate peace with Germany. These facts were revealed today by a Japanese diplomat who has reached the United States from Petrograd. Secretary Lansing announced that the United States is bound by no agreement not to make a separate peace with Germany, but no separate peace would be made until Germany is vanquished, he said.

Situation Is Menacing.

London, May 11.—Russia's internal dissensions were further complicated today by the revolt of the workingmen and citizens in the Schlussenberg munitions district, according to a dispatch lately received. The provisional president of the district has been arrested but there was no bloodshed. The rebels announced their intention of forming a separate republic.

London, May 11.—The antagonism between the present Russian government and the committee of workmen and soldiers' delegates has become so acute as to make affairs in Petrograd at the most critical stage since the revolution. According to Petrograd correspondence in the Daily News, the creation of a coalition ministry may lead to dual authority instead of avoiding it.

HARD FIGHT ON ARMY BILL

Much Dissatisfaction in Senate Over Action on Roosevelt Volunteer Amendment.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 11.—Every indication today pointed to much hard fighting in Congress, particularly in the Senate before the conscription bill is finally enacted into a law.

Much dissatisfaction prevails in the Senate over the action of the conferees in striking out the amendment authorizing the acceptance of a Roosevelt division.

The Washington officials say that the newly devised plans to keep food from this country out of Germany are certain of success. All shipments hereafter will be watched up to their final destination.

Will Fight For Volunteers.

Washington, May 11.—Representative Gardner of Massachusetts served notice on the House that he will make a fight for the Roosevelt volunteer amendment when the conscription bill comes up tomorrow.

Announces Russian Commission.

Washington, May 11.—Secretary Lansing announced the following members of the commission to Russia, headed by Elihu Root: Major General Scott, Rear-Admiral Glenn, Charles R. Crane and Cyrus McCormick, Chicago; John R. Mott, Samuel R. Bontron and Charles Russell, New York and James Duncan, Massachusetts.

Sink Norwegian Steamers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, May 11.—The German submarines sunk the Norwegian steamers, Tiger and Liekaner, off the coast of Spain, according to dispatches received today.

Fred Breit and Charley Evans of Parnell were in Maryville yesterday.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

Electric Theatre To-Night

'The Prince Chap'

All Star Cast—Marshal Neilson, Mary Charleson, Bessie Eyton and George Fawcett.

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STATES WAR PLANS

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drying.

3. Consume more food products grown in the local community.

4. Educate the people as to the magnitude of the task ahead of the American nation.

5. Aid in recruiting the National Guard and the regular army.

Registration Day Holiday Asked.

6. Aid in every way in carrying out the enrollment for the army which has been authorized by Congress. Make the registration day a holiday throughout the state.

7. Assist the War Department in applying intelligently the selective draft plan. Exemptions on account of industrial, agricultural and other reasons are to be determined by local committees.

8. Encourage the recruiting of the additional number required by the United States Navy.

9. There will be a shortage of labor throughout the Nation. Organize some definite system so that the worker and employer may be put in contact with each other.

10. Assist in floating the Liberty Loan.

11. Appoint the following committees to have charge of the subjects indicated in your county:

a. Agriculture.
b. Labor.
c. Utilization and economy.
d. Distributing and marketing.
e. Finance.
f. Manufacture.

12. Co-operate with every state agency at work for the national defense.

13. Co-operate with the emergency food agent working for increased food production in your county. This official represents the College of Agriculture and the U. S. Department of Agriculture and is backed by the authority of the President of the United States and Congress. He will be fully informed on many matters of vital interest to the community.

To Represent M. W. A.

R. A. Walker of Skidmore was selected as one of the two representatives from Missouri to attend the National convention of the Modern Woodmen of America at Chicago, June 19 to 23. Mr. Walker was one of the county delegates to the state meeting at Springfield held recently. There were seven candidates for delegates to the National convention.

Mrs. Katherine Brady and daughter, Miss Katherine of Plattsburg, who came to Maryville to attend the funeral services of Thomas Taylor, will visit for a few days with friends.

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REV. W. H. RUST, SPEAKER

Will Address Eighth Grade Graduates at Burlington Junction and Present Diplomas.

The Eighth grade commencement exercises of Nodaway township will be held at the Christian church Friday night, May 18, in Burlington Junction, according to the Post. The address will be made by Rev. W. H. Rust, who will also present the diplomas to the graduates. A large class will be graduated this year which is encouraging to the extent that it shows more pupils are going higher in the grades each year.

The program will begin at 8 o'clock and will consist of the following numbers:

Class march, Orpha Carlisle; Invocation, Rev. Horace S. Weaver; Song; Reading, Anna Margaret Hoffman; Duet, Wilma Bush, Eva Bever; Recitation, Inez Carter; Reading, Ruby Neff; Solo, Miss West; Reading, Russell Culp; Instrumental solo, Etta Trusty; Reading, Cecil Culver; Song, Eudora school; Reading, Anna Sue Gill; Solo Duthiel McGinnis; Presentation of diplomas, Rev. W. H. Rust.

The members of the graduating class this year are:

Burlington Junction—Etta Trusty, Flora Engle, Neomi Hood, Russell Culp, Belle Hardy, Raymond Alvis Chas. Dodge, Wm. Springer, Walter Walton, Marie McLain, Mary Ballenger, Gladys Dale, Nellie Hartness, Anna Margaret Hoffman, Vella Humphrey, Duthiel McGinnis.

Evans—Eva Bever, Wilma Bush.

Pleasant Valley—Ruby Neff.

Eudora—James Violett.

BARNARD CLASS EXERCISES

Ten Boys and Girls Will Be Graduated From the High School, Friday, May 18.

The program for the commencement exercises of the Barnard High school was announced today by J. W. Pierce, principal of the school. The baccalaureate sermon will be given next Sunday by Rev. Moorman, of the North M. E. church of Barnard. The class exercises will be given Friday night, May 18, when Rev. Ernest Snider of Burlington Junction will give the class address. The class play, "Blossoming of Mary Ann," will be held Tuesday night, May 22.

The members of the class are Fern Campbell, Lucile Gardner, Harry Nelson, Virgil Robinson, Robert Goforth, Allie Hager, Marie Turner, Opal Snyder, Loree Strader and Cletta Rasco.

A Profitable Mare.

Frank Dougan told us this week that the mare of his that has a colt every three weeks has been a mighty profitable one for him. He bought her as a four-year-old and during the eight years he owned her he has sold $1,184 worth of mules, and has left a 2-year-old valued at $150 and a sucking mule. The total production of this mare in eight years has been better than $1,400. If any reader of the Bulletin can show a better record, we would be pleased to publish it.—Barnard Bulletin.

Atchison Township Convention.

The Atchison Township Sunday School convention will be held in Clearmant Sunday at the Baptist church. G. B. Roseberry, Miss Eva Davis and Miss Julia Denny of Maryville are on the program.

TELLS OF CAMP LIFE

LEWIS B. HUNT, NORMAL STUDENT LIKES "SOLDIERING" FINE.

Says Recruits Are Coming In at the Rate of One Thousand A Day —Other Interesting Points.

Lewis B. Hunt, a former student of the State Normal school, who left last week for Jefferson Barracks to join the medical corps of the United States army, has written an interesting letter about the life at the barracks. The letter is written to the Philomathean literary society, of which Mr. Hunt was a member.

"Jefferson Barracks, Mo.
"Company 18.

"Dear Philos:

"This letter will probably be slightly disconnected, as there are a bunch of "rookies" carrying on a general conversation within a few feet of me. We are very crowded here as there are nearly one thousand come in every day. Nearly three hundred and fifty from my company are leaving tomorrow for different points in the United States. The medical corps has not sent over twelve out in the last two months. We are figuring on a big shipment in a week or two and here's hoping I get to go. The boys for the most part are well educated fellows. This means of course in the medical corps, engineers corps, and signal corps. There are all varieties and ages of men in the infantry and "Calvery" as most of the fellows call it.

"The drill sergeant barks out 'left' right! left! right! 1! 2! 3! 4!' Some of the fellows can't tell right from left or side wise march from forward march. The sergeants seem strict at first, but it is no wonder with the number of boneheads that drift in. The work is pleasant, only three hours of drill each morning and one-half hour's rest between each half-hour drill. The food, although very plain, is good and substantial and there is plenty of it. The fellows at first turn away from some of the coarser food, but after a day or two they make one dash for "chow" as they call mess. One sergeant said if they wanted to totally destroy an opposing army, the only thing they needed to do was to put it between the eighteenth and the mess house and holler "chow."

"Every one is required to be out at revielle at 5:40 o'clock and is required to march across the parade grounds in front of the building and gather up all trash and orange peels. If he returns without anything he is sent back across the 40-acre tract. If there is any work to be done, there are always plenty to do it. All one has to do is his part. I have had to stop three times during the last half hour to answer a roll call, sweep up a hall-way, and answer mail call.

"The mess hall is the most interesting part of the barracks, in more ways than one. The number served each meal is nearly 7,000 on some days. These are handled in shifts of 1,320 apiece. The tables are high board tables with a number of small stools on each side. The food is on the table and meat is served on the plates, and only one helping of it. The vegetable dishes are filled up from large boilers held in a heat retaining truck. The man stands there with a dipper that holds a dish full of the vegetables and the waiters line up holding their empty dishes. The waiters are men called from the different companies. They call the kitchen duty "kitchen fatigue." The men hate this because they have to get up a half-hour earlier and they do not have their afternoon's off. Every man is supposed to do duty three times in three weeks.

"All the 'rookies' look awkward to start with but in a few days they straighten up and throw out their chests and walk like cadets.

"How are the contests coming? Here's hoping the Philos trample all over the Eurekans and I know they will. With the team the Philos have I can see a well-earned victory. I must go over to "chow." I'd like to hear from any or all of the Philos at any time and I will gladly give any information about the army life I'm allowed to.

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"Lewis B. Hunt."

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Robert Warwick and Doris Kenyon Will Be Seen at Empire Theatre In "A Girl's Folly."

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Practical, unimaginative Johnny did not appreciate how romantic his country sweetheart was, so he could not sympathize with her desires for a bigger, broader outlook than she had in a little country town. So, one morning, Johnny's sweetheart followed a famous moving picture star to the city where she was given a part as the ingenue in a new motion picture production.

And then—

You can see what happened then at the Empire theatre tonight as this latest World Picture, Brady-Made entitled "A Girl's Folly," will then be seen. Robert Warwick and Doris Kenyon, two screen favorites, will be seen in the principal roles in this very unique offering. No film fan will care to miss this offering as it shows a film studio in the process of turning out a motion picture.

Jumped Too High—Fractured Arm.

Virgil Yates, the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yates, suffered a fracture of his arm while doing some pole vaulting stunts at the school house Tuesday noon. Virgil went up all right, but came down wrong end first, the weight of his body falling on his arm and the bone was fractured near the wrist. He was brought to the office of Dr. C. E. Cossins, where the bone was set. According to Virgil's playmates, he "jumped too high."—Burlington Junction Post.

Returns From Canada.

Edwin Caldwell of Burlington Junction has returned from Quebec, Canada, where he went to receive a shipment of Aberdeen-Angus cattle which had been purchased through an agent in England and Scotland.

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MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY

Suggestions to Childless Women.

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these colums.

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—"I want other women to know what a blessing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. We had always wanted a baby in our home but I was in poor health and not able to do my work. My mother and husband both urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, my health improved and I am now the mother of a fine baby girl and do all my own house work."—Mrs. ALLIA B. TIMMONS, 216 Almond St., Poplar Bluff, Mo.

In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice—it will be confidential and helpful.

Wash Skirts

Here is a Big Bargain for Tomorrow (Saturday) selling in

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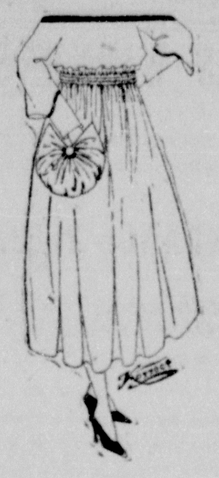

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"BIDDY" TO THE FRONT.

Mrs. Clell Vanfossen of Barnard Sells $200 Worth of Eggs in March.

According to the Barnard Bulletin, Mrs. Clell Vanfossen sold in the month of March from her poultry $200 worth of eggs. In the month of April she has done better, 500 hens laying 866 dozen of eggs besides those used at the table and for hatching, which sold for a little over $250, each hen averaging 50 cents during the month. Besides this, Mrs. Vanfossen has 750 young chickens which will grow into more money.

Changes of Address in the City.

The following changes of address have recently been made in the city.

Dr. A. N. Gray, 322 N. Mulberry to 704 N. Main.

Clark Scott, N. Main to 319 S. Main.

J. Pearl Green, 207 S. Saunders to 1002 E. Fourth.

Mrs. F. S. Grundy, 1002 E. Fourth to 421 W. Fourth.

W. C. Pearson, 421 W. Fourth to 116 N. Buchanan.

L. R. Zahm, 118 N. Buchanan to 414 W. Second.

Hosick Holmes, 702 E. First to 409 E. First.

I. E. Tulloch, 615 E. Fourth to 702 E. First.

A. Stapler, 403 E. First to 503 S. Vine.

A. A. Brewer, 704 N. Mulberry to 715 E. First.

Prof. J. M. McDonald, 715 E. First to 704 N. Mulberry.

T. H. Leet, 209 S. Market to 504 S. Mulberry.

Clyde Avitt, 909 E. Second to 1204 E. Third.

Roy Yeaman, 1204 E. Third to 1302 E. Fourth.

A. D. Saunders, 122 N. Depot to 909 E. Second.

Mrs. Nettie Warren, W. Fifth to 117 S. Dewey.

Howard McCaffrey, 117 S. Dewey to 220 S. Saunders.

Mrs. Culverson, 1116 E. First to 804 E. Third.

R. R. Brown, 220 S. Saunders to 601 E. Third.

R. G. Koch, 116 N. Buchanan to Kansas City, Mo.

Chas. Holdaway, 602 E. Fourth to Laurens, Ia.

Wilson House Completed.

The new house on the Wilson farm southeast of Burlington Junction was completed last week by H. E. Clark and Earl Graham, herdsman on the Wilson farm, is now living in it. Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Wilson will move to the old homestead within a few days.—Burlington Junction Post.

Flowers for Mother's Day

The Engelmann Greenhouses
Phones, 17. 1001 S. Main St.

Eyes Tested Free

Can we Help Your Eyes?

We certainly can, if they need Glasses.

It matters not what the defect may be, if it is amendable to accurately adjusted Glasses we can correct it for you.

Come in at once and let us test your eyes.

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DESTROYS THESE PROFIT GETTERS

The Powerful Vapors penetrate the cracks and crevices, fluff and feathers and everywhere, instantly destroying all insect life, such as Lice, Mites and other insects that infest the Poultry House.

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Government will receive subscriptions until June 15 for two billion dollars three and one-half per cent liberty loan. You can render invaluable service to your country by receiving subscriptions and co-operating with Federal Reserve Bank, your district. Will you kindly do this and telegraph me government expense soon as possible rough estimate amount of bonds you think will be subscribed by you and your customers?

W. G. McADOO,
Secretary of the Treasury.

We are receiving subscriptions to this "Liberty" Government bond issue at our **office over the Nodaway Valley Bank.** You may not as a soldier go to war, but you may buy a few Government bonds as a safe investment and patriotic duty.

To be in denominations of $50.00, $100.00 and $1,000.00, non-taxable. Subscribe now, no money required until delivery, about July 1.

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OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK.
A BANK OF SAVINGS. MARYVILLE, MO.

Burlington Junction Teachers.

The following teachers have been elected for the next term in the Burlington Junction schools: Room 1, Miss Hortense Van Sandt, Craig; Room 2, Miss Jennie Hann, Burlington Junction; Room 3, Miss Stella Hurst, Burlington Junction; Room 4, Miss Zella Tibbetts, Mound City; Room 5, Miss Addie Carpenter, Burlington Junction.

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made by using my tray in connection with the wash boiler you already have. I am booking orders ahead for these trays. If you are going to can any vegetables or fruit this season, it will pay you to investigate this tray, on sale at GARRETT HARDWARE CO., HUDSON & WELCH HARDWARE, and KESSLER HARDWARE CO., also at the factory—

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111 West Third Street

SOME REGISTRATION PLANS

Many States Will Make Conscription Affair the Occasion of Patriotic Demonstrations.

Many states plan to make registration day for the new army conscription the occasion for fetes and patriotic demonstrations. Many places are planning on barbecues and like affairs to draw the people, so that those upon whom the duty of registration devolves will know that they have the support of their fellows of all occupations and of all ages.

"The questions which are to be answered involve comparatively few subjects; The name in full; the age in years; the home address; the date of birth; the quality of citizenship, natural born, naturalized, or the condition of declaration of intention; the place of birth; trade; occupation or office; employment and by whom employed; dependents, if any; married or single; race; former military service and where it was rendered, and, lastly, claims of exemption from draft, with the specific grounds therefor.

"Several of the states have relieved the government entirely of expense connected with the work of securing complete registration; in fact, helpfulness seems to be common to the country."

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With Othine Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

Theodore Stingley and sister Miss Amarinth of Ravenwood were in Maryville on business Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Hunterson and children of Ravenwood were in Maryville yesterday.

JOIN ST. JOSEPH LEAGUE

Girls' Knitting Society Will Begin By Making Sailor Sets for Jackies On Battleship, Missouri.

The Maryville girls' Knitting society has affiliated with the St. Joseph National Navy League, which has pledged itself to make 800 sets of sleeveless jackets, mufflers and wristlets for the jackies on the battleship Missouri. The girls will make whichever garment they prefer and then will send them to St. Joseph where the sets will be made up.

The yarn for the sets may be procured from Miss Martha Koch or Miss Olivette Godsey, who will also arrange for teachers where needed. The instructions for knitting the sets as furnished by the St. Joseph league are as follows:

Sleeveless Jackets.

Cast on 80 stitches.
Knit 2, purl 2 stitches for 4 inches.
Knit plain until sweater measures 22 inches.
Knit 28 stitches, bind off 24 stitches for neck.
Knit 28 stitches.
Knit 5 rows on each shoulder, cast on 24 stitches.
Knit plain for 19 stitches.
Purl 2, knit 2 stitches for 4 inches.
Sew up sides, leaving 9 inches for arm holes.
No. 5 celluloid needles. Gray knitting yarn.

Mufflers.

Cast on 50 stitches.
Plain knitting for 58 inches.
No. 5 celluloid needles. Dark blue knitting yarn.

Wristlets.

Cast on 50 stitches.
Knit 2, purl 2 stitches for 12 inches.
Sew up, leaving 2 inch space for thumb, 4 inches from top.
No. 3 bone needles. Gray knitting yarn.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN HERE

Terry Company Will Present Favorite Slave Play Friday, May 25 — Parade A Feature.

Announcement is made of the coming of the old-favorite and much talked of play, Uncle Tom's Cabin. Many amusement enterprises have grown from small companies to two and three car shows the Terry company being one that is found in this class, having started twenty-seven years ago with a small troupe of ten people gradually augmenting their attraction until now they are carrying fifty people and traveling in their own Pullman cars, their great success being due to the fact that the shows management has always had the energy, push and honest business dealings, in presenting this mammoth Uncle Tom's Cabin Company.

Special attention has also been given to the bands and orchestras this season, nothing but the highest class musicians being engaged for the company. Terry's concert bands will give one concert on the main street at 7:00 p. m., big street parade at 12 o'clock noon, on the day of their appearance. Remember Terry's Uncle Tom's Cabin will show one night only at Maryville, on Friday, May 25.

SIX PATIENTS PAROLED.

County Court Orders Five Asylum Inmates Taken to County Farm.

The county court yesterday ordered six patients in the state hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph paroled, five of them to be taken to the county farm. The hospital authorities state that these patients are harmless and would be as well off out of that institution as in. They are Alfred Voegel, Bennie Wray, Abraham Lund, Almeta Rogers and Maggie Stingley. T. M. McGuire was paroled to his father, Daniel McGuire.

Visited at Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCoppin returned yesterday from Bolckow where they visited at the home of Mrs. McCoppin's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dougan. While in Bolckow they attended the lot sale and barbecue held yesterday. The lots brought $13,000, Mr. McCoppin said, and were purchased by Bolckow residents. Five hogs furnished the meat for the barbecue.

To Speak at Blythedale.

Prof. W. J. Osburn of the State Normal School went to Blythedale today to take President Richardson's place on the Commencement program to be given there tonight. Prof. Osburn will give the class address.

Band Concert Tonight.

The band concert, which was postponed last night on account of the rain will be held tonight instead if the weather permits. If rain should prevent the giving of the concert tonight the regular Sunday afternoon concert will be given.

Guests at Brink Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohart of Maitland and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD
Hanamo phone 42, Farmers phone 114

Meeting Place Changed.

The P. E. O. Chapter will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Fred Kurtz instead of with Mrs. M. G. Tate as was first planned.

Miss Moody Entertains.

Miss Luta Moody entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at the Edwards Cafe in honor of Miss Bertha LaBouffe, of St. Joseph and Miss Ella O'Grady.

Ladies' Aid Meets.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church held their regular monthly meeting at the church yesterday afternoon. Plans for the annual bazaar were made. The meeting was well attended.

Entertain For Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink were host and hostess at a 1 o'clock dinner party given today at their home on East Sixth street. Their guests were. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohart of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellows and daughter, Helen Marie, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer and daughter, Margaret Louise.

Mrs. Kidder, Hostess.

Mrs. A. P. Kidder entertained the Bedison H. C. club Wednesday afternoon, May 9. The subject for the afternoon was "Missouri." Roll call was responded by naming some prominent Missourian. The social hour was spent in discussing the resources of Missouri and in a floral wedding guessing game. Music was furnished by the club members. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Clair. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. W. Thompson, Wednesday, May 23.

Willing Helpers Meet.

The Pioneer Willing Helpers met Wednesday afternoon, May 9, at the home of Mrs. C. R. Green. The usual business hour was held followed by a social hour. The following guests were present: Mrs. Milt Swearingen, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. George Gay, Mrs. Roy Gay, Mrs. Earl Gay, Mrs. Fred Buck, Mrs. Ova Heflin, Mrs. Clint Wood, Mrs. Will Rhoades, Mrs. C. C. Moore, Miss Anna Shanks, and the hostess. Refreshments were served. The next meeting, May 23, will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Gay.

I. I. Club Session.

The I. I. club met with Mrs. A. L. Taylor Wednesday, May 9. Members responded to roll call with their favorite pastimes. After the business meeting a program in honor of Mother's Day was given. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess. The members present were: Mrs. Claude Shell, Mrs. A. H. Hughes, Mrs. Will Osborn, Mrs. Allen Haller, Mrs. Ed Seipel, Mrs. Byron Kinsley, Mrs. Brice Hall, Mrs. Andrew Fink, Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. E. W. Babb, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. John Halasey, Misses Jennie Duncan, Lida Onstott, Irene Babb, Leta Babb, Nellie Halasey. The visitors present were: Mrs. James Onstott, Grandma Kinsley, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Misses Mary Taylor, Aurilla Burris, Anna Marjorie Halasey, Reah, Francis, Rebecca and Ella Marjorie Shell, Vernon and Marie Taylor, Robert Seipel, Francis Kinsley, and Clara Bell Moore. The next meeting will be held May 23 with Mrs. E. W. Babb. A memorial program will be given.

Line Party From Skidmore.

The Skidmore High school faculty, the seniors and the juniors drove to Maryville last night and formed a line party to the Empire Theatre. The seniors and the faculty were entertertained by the juniors.

For Miss Mildred Woods.

A number of young people were very delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Woods of Quitman in honor of the eighteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Mildred Woods. Games and music furnished amusement for the evening. Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Slack and Mrs. Browning. Miss Woods received several pretty and useful gifts.

Dr. Clark Entertains.

The King's Daughters Sunday school class of the First Methodist church met last night with Dr. Jessie Clark at her rooms at the Bainum Hotel. A business session was held during which a social committee was appointed to plan meetings for the coming month. Those on the committee are: Miss Vada Foland, Miss Gladys Ford and Miss Bertha Pettigrew. A social hour was held after the business meeting. Those present were: Misses Vada Foland, Gladys Ford, Florence Anderson, Jessie Lyons, Edna Moore, and Bertha Pettigrew and the hostess.

Entertains W. C. I. Club.

The W. C. I. club held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Ben Booher.

After regular business session, led by the president, the following program was responded to at roll call: "Our Club." being the subject for the afternoon, "Original Poems," which were very interesting, were prepared and read. "Our Club," by Mrs. Edward Cummins, "What the Club Means to Me," by Mrs. Elmer Baker. Paper prepared by Mrs. Benjamin Booher was, "The Knowledge That it Enables Me to Learn is one of the Chief Pleasures of Being a Member of This Club." A musical selection "Lord Dismiss us With Thy Blessing," closed the afternoon program.

During the social hour refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R. P. Ferguson, May 17. The subject for the afternoon will be a continuation of the subject at this last meeting, "Our Club."—Burlington Junction Post.

To Address Rural Graduates.

Prof. C. A. Hawkins and Supt. Bert Cooper will attend the rural commencement exercises at Hopkins tonight. Professor Hawkins will give the address to the graduates. The rural commencement exercises at Gaynor will be held May 19.

Beals Arrive Home.

Mrs. Thaddeus J. Beal and daughter, Miss Bertha, returned yesterday from St. Joseph, where they have been spending several days. Mrs. Beal and daughter have been spending several months in St. Augustine, Fla., and Chattanooga, Tenn., and on their return stopped in St. Joseph for a visit. Miss Allie Beal, who also spent the winter in Florida, and Tennessee, returned to Maryville several days ago.

Mr. McClaskey Buried.

Funeral services for John McClaskey who died yesterday morning at his home on North Mulberry street, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Price and McNeal undertaking parlors conducted by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Burial was in the Miriam cemetery. The pall bearers were. Arch Frank, Charley Kiser, Mark Cummins Jr., M. G. Tate, S. E. Fisher, and Al Croy.

Appointed Administrator.

G. P. Shoptaugh and Dennis Hutchings were appointed administrators of the estate of W. H. Adkins, who died at Elmo May 8.

To Report at Officers' Camp.

R. O. Hogan of this city and Harvey McClary of St. Joseph have been ordered to report at the officers' training camp at Fort Riley, Kan.

MAY FORM A DRAINAGE CO.

Meeting of Arkoe and Barnard Farmers Saturday to Discuss the Straightening of 102.

There is considerable talk of forming a drainage company to straighten the One Hundred and Two river from where the drainage ditch ends at the Carr Bridge to the Andrew county line. A meeting will be held at Barnard Saturday to discuss the proposition. The following is from this week's Barnard Bulletin:

Monday morning Sam Corrough and Clayton Carr of Arkoe came down to interview some men here regarding forming a drainage company to straighten the One Hundred and Two river from Arkoe to the Andrew county line. Their talk with the men in Barnard was so satisfactory that a meeting has been called for Saturday night, May 12, at the Barnard State Bank to effect a preliminary organization for the company.

It is a matter of self-preservation to the farmers along the river to take steps to do away with the disastrous overflow of the river which comes with every little rain and it is believed that a drainage company can be organized with little opposition that will forever eliminate the destructive overflow.

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QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

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LOST—Seat off Rock Island corn planter between Myrtle Tree and Maryville. Return to W. W. Jones & Co. 10-12

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Seed corn, Reed's Yellow Dent, 80 bu., $2.00 per bushel. John Hoshor, 2 miles east, one mile south of town. 4-14*

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, Rose Comb Reds, 12½c each. Mrs. Elmer Young, Bedison, Mo. 9-11*

FOR SALE—To clean up, three bargains in corn planters. W. W. Jones & Co. 11-14

FOR SALE—Coil wire springs and cotton topped mattress, $5.00; revolving office chair, $4.00. Call 222 West Fourth or phone 3351. 11-15*

FOR SALE—Small barn to be removed from lot. Eldon Lloyd, 422 West First St. 8-14*

FOR SALE—4 pigs, weight about 70 lbs. 324 West 6th St. Han. 428. Far. 251. 9-11*

FOR SALE—Carldad oats on Burlington track. Maryville Feed & Milling Co., West Third St. Hanamo 110. Farmers 230. 10-12

FOR SALE—Conkey's poultry remedies. "Don't worry, Conkey's will cure me." Maryville Feed & Milling Co., West Third street, Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 10-12

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Office room or flat over Electric Theatre, newly refinished. See George Yantis. 9-11

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern, located at 602 East 4th St. Call Han. 55. 4tf.

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

WANTED

WANTED—Clean, white rags for use at St. Francis hospital. Inquire at hospital. 9-11

WANTED—Married man wants job on farm, experienced. Frank Ulmer, Hanamo phone. 10-12

WANTED—Furnished house or rooms for light housekeeping. Leave your address at this office. 11-14*

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Mrs. Frank T. Hall, Farmers phone 5-14. 10-12

WANTED—Young woman attending Normal wishes to work for room and board. Call Democrat-Forum for address. 10-12*

WANTED—Everybody to know that Graham's store is now showing the largest variety of hosiery ever shown in Maryville. Prices below normal. See our windows. 9-11

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cummins and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Burch of Clearmont, were in Maryville on business yesterday.

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Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
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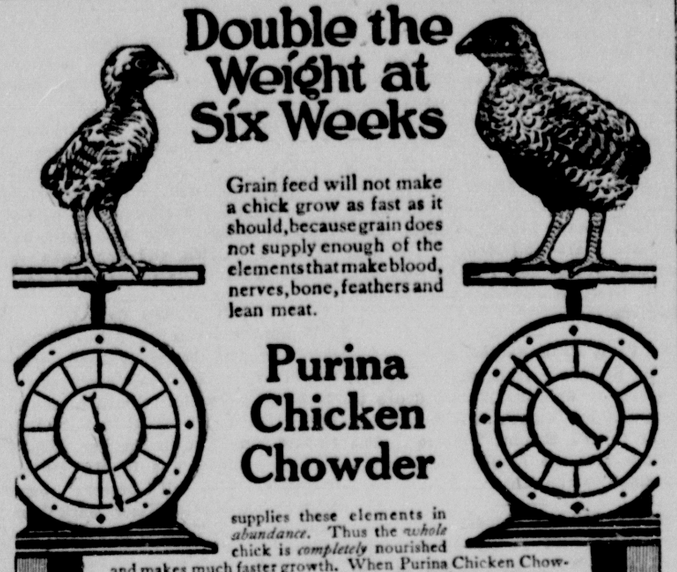

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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, May 11.— WHEAT — May, $3.19½; July, $2.49½.

CORN—May, $1.55½; July, $1.47⅜.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, May 11.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700; steers, $11.20@$12.25; cows, $6.11.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; top, $16.25; bulk, $15.50@$16.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 11.—CATTLE— Receipts, 2,500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market, 10c to 15c higher; top, $16.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000; market, 10c to 15c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, May 11.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,800; market, 10c to 15c higher.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500; market, 10c to 15c higher.

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Geese	12c
Roosters, per lb	10

Berry Hann Enlists.

Berry Hann, the 19-year-old son of C. I. Hann of this place, has enlisted in the United States army at Lawrence, Kan., according to a letter to his father this week. Berry was finishing his second year in the Baker university, and with a large body of Baker students, answered the call to the colors. Throughout the west many college men are enlisting in the army and navy.—Burlington Junction Post.

Attends Rural Commencement.

Prof. H. A. Miller of the State Normal School is at Bigelow today attending the Rural school commencement exercises there.

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NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

"Public sentiment here strongly favors amendment authorizing Col. Roosevelt to recruit an army for prompt service in Europe. Also amendment prohibiting sale of liquor to soldiers. Worth county farmers are making strong efforts to raise a big crop of grain, but they do not want it used for booze."—Petition to Congress by Grant City citizens.

I don't know much about International law, or about this "overt act" stuff, but down in "Possum Hollow" if a feller spits terbacker on another fellow's boot accidental like, it don't mean nothing. But if he does it apurpose it means that hell's gonna be poppin.—Milan Standard.

Navy beans, buckwheat, sorghum and pumpkins were the four crops chosen from a list of fifteen by the King City Improvement Association last week as the most profitable objects of a food drive in that locality. To the person raising most beans on 625 square feet of ground a prize of $10 will be given, second $7.50 and third $5.00. For the most sorghum raised on a half acre three more prizes were offered—$20, $10 and $5. The best one acre plots of buckwheat will draw $20, $10 and $5. And for the biggest pumpkin an award of $5 is offered and $2.50 for the next.

A tidal wave of boze struck Saline, a town near the northern border of Mercer county one day last week, says the Princeton Post. A freight shipment of 288 pints of whiskey arrived there for one, W. Harris, and thus far the officers of the law have been unable to find anybody answering to that name.

The "Tarkiomo" is the title of the high school annual recently published by the junior class of the Tarkio high school.

The big horse and mule feeding and training plant at Lathrop, where 30,000 British horses and mules are frequently to be seen may become a mobilization point for U. S. mounts. Guyton & Harrington, the owners of this immense plant and five similar ones at Kansas City, St. Louis, Nashville, Tenn., Columbia, Tenn., and Port Chalmette, La., have tendered their services and the use of their plants to the United States during the German war. The combined capacity of these plants is 108,000 head of horses and mules.

Ten minutes after he had gone from the house and his mother's watchful care little James Roger, a 2-year-old Cameron boy, was found dead in a tub of water into which he had fallen face downward.

At $24 a ton a carload of hay shipped last week to St. Joseph brought George Hinkle, of Forest City, a check for $293. "Can you beat it?" asks the News.

Doubtless the first carload shipment of cornmeal ever made from Holt county was that made by the Mound City Mill Co. last week to the Libby Flour Co., of St. Joseph. This makes a total of 90,000 pounds of cornmeal recently sold to these wholesalers from the local mill which has ground 2,700 pounds of meal a day for the past two weeks.—Mound City News-Jeffersonian.

With 400 Brwon Leghorn hens, T. E. Applegate has sold $356 worth of eggs since February 1. Egg sales in February were $80, in March $150, and from April 1 to 21, $126.—Princeton Post.

Among the outgoing freight shipments from Lathrop last week were 32 cars of British horses to Jersey City and 30 cars of British mules to Newport News.

A brooder lamp was the cause of a fire which destroyed an old landmark near Lathrop—the pioneer dwelling on the old J. Q. A. Kemper farm.

Possibly the most ancient set of books in northwest Missouri is the 6-volume set of Pope's Translation of Homer's Iliad, printed in London in 1732, and now owned by Thomas Miller of Forest City. When a lad, Mr. Miller saw his father buy these books from a London bookseller. That was in 1846 and a few years later Mr. Miller brought the books with him to America and they have remained in his ownership ever since, and are well preserved.

At Westboro a $28.50 check was handed Wm. Laumann the other day for the 80 dozen eggs he brought to town.

A dredge boat crew is now at work straightening the West Tarkio River in Atchison county.

Rather than almost literally to jump from the frying pan into the fire Pete Jauntz hung by one arm from a hot steam pipe directly above a running power-house engine at Tarkio the other day until rescued. It took nerve to hang on till his arm was severely burned, but it would have fared worse with him had he fallen. He had been thrown into this predicament by the falling of the ladder on which he was working.

A 25-acre vegetable garden, including 15 acres of potatoes, 2 acres of strawberries, 1 of onions and similar areas of later crops is the principal patriotism of Frank A. Woodruff, landlord of the Woodruff Hotel at Gallatin. The garden is in the Wabash lowlands, says the North Missourian, with provision for irrigation if necessary.

Owing to the high price of stock many bluegrass pastures have been plowed up and are being planted to corn.—Northeast Daviess correspondent in Gallatin North Missourian.

Not content with living in times of record pork prices a Worth county pig started down the public high road one day last week and successfully risked a head-on encounter with an automobile. Though the pig escaped unhurt the car was turned over and the three passengers, John Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Gentry slightly injured.

A new fire engine mounted on a Ford chassis is now in use at Grant City. The citizens voted $1,000 in bonds toward its purchase and the fire company will raise the balance of $1,250, says the Worth County Times.

One of the three carloads composing a $10,000 shipment of fat stock to St. Joseph by Frank Jared, of Hopkins, was of hogs which averaged 600 pounds each and brought $90 a head, says the Journal.

A motor line is now running between Smithville and North Kansas City, thereby making a great improvement in the passenger service for Smithville, Nassau, Gashland and Linden, where stops will be made on schedule time. The car, operated by Mr. R. D. Arnold, will make the trip twice daily.

With the price at 35 and 26 cents a dozen, $4,000 worth of eggs were bought by Gallatin merchants and produce dealers, Saturday, April 21. That's more than 10,000 dozen, about 400 cases or, to be exact, 133,332 eggs.

Jewell Mayes in the Richmond Missourian says that tomatoes were not named for Thomas Jefferson, although that illustrious man did bring the first tomatoes to this country from France. Our state secretary of agriculture has it straight from his grandfather, Wiley Mayes, Sr., who was born in Tennessee in 1800, and heard the first-hand comment which followed the introduction of "love apples" into this country.

A yearling steer with a wooden leg is doing quite well, thank you, and kicking up his heels as of old, according to the Richmond Missourian. This remarkable sight may be seen on the farm of W. D. Brown, and the pegleg was fitted to the cripple animal last winter by Dr. Sam S. Morgan.

Road Grading at Guilford.

Road grading and work on concrete culverts has been started in the Guilford community, under the direction of J. V. Pugh, M. Ellis and W. E. Brittain, members of the town board.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello, his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 22nd day of June 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County at Deed Book 124, page 97, conveyed to the undersigned, J. S. Shinabargar, all their right, title, interest and estate in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: The east one-half of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township Sixty-three (63), of Range Thirtyfour (34), which said convey ance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid, now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee, will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door, in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expense of executing this trust.

J. S. SHINABARGAR, Trustee.
Dated this 23rd day of April, 1917.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 25th day of September, 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county, at Deed Book 124, page 142, conveyed to the undersigned, E. F. Wolfert, all their right, title, interest and estate, in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: All of the southwest one-fourth (¼) and all that part of the southwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) lying west of Platte River all in Section Thirty-three (33), Township Sixty-three (63), Range Thirty-four (34), containing 183 acres more or less; also north one-half (½), of northeast quarter (¼), of the northeast quarter (¼) of Section Six (6), Township Sixty-two (62), of Range Thirty-four (34), containing 20 acres more or less; which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

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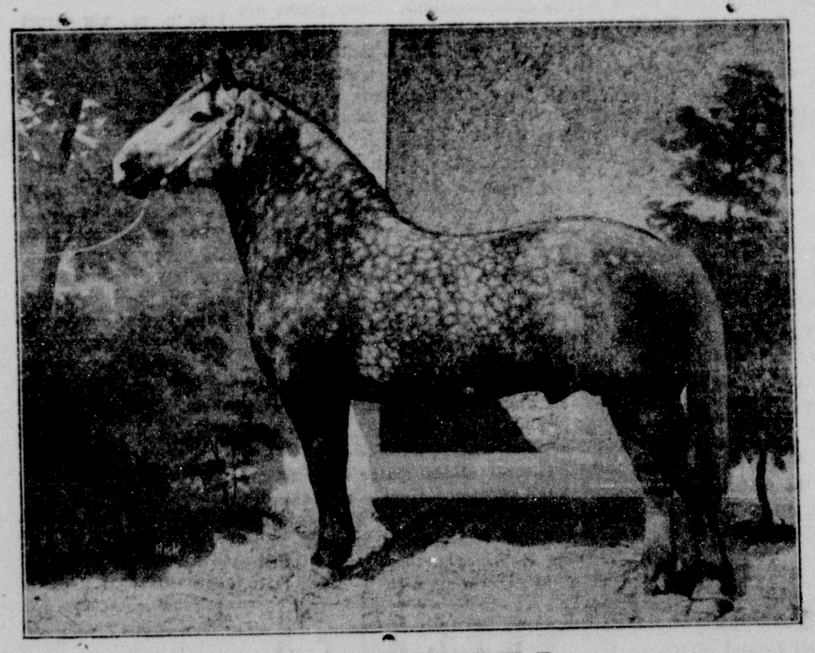

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WHITES WINNERS

LEAD THE BLUE DIVISION IN SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

ATTENDANCE 21,307

White Division's Majority Was 1908 —Bad Roads Caused Falling Off in Some Districts.

The Blue and White attendance contest which has been conducted by the Nodaway County Sunday School association during the past four months, closed May 1, with the White division in the lead. During the month of April, the total attendance in the White division was 10,839 and in the Blue division 10,468, making a total attendance of 21,307, and an average attendance of 4,261.

The total attendance for the entire contest in each division was as follows. White, 83,271; Blues, 31,363. The White division won by a majority of 1908.

"While the Sunday school attendance of Nodaway county is not all that the Sunday School association had hoped to make it," said G. B. Roseberry, president of the association, this morning. "Many things have hindered in a way that was not expected at the beginning of the contest. The weather was very unfavorable, and the roads in bad condition, which made it impossible for many of the rural schools to conduct their Sunday schools during the first three months of the contest. However, during the month of April six schools have been organized and two new schools have recently been organized.

"All of the Sunday schools are growing in attendance and although the contest has closed it is hoped that each school will endeavor to gain in attendance during the summer so that at least 75 per cent of the Sunday schools enrollment of the county will be in regular attendance by September so that a good report may be made at the County Convention which meets at Pickering, September 19 and 20.

Schedule of Twp. S. S. Conventions.

Mr. Roseberry also announced the following township conventions which will be held between now and the 8th of July, on the following dates, and by the following teams:

May 13 the first team, composed of Miss Eva Davis, Miss Julia Denny, and G. B. Roseberry will hold conventions in Green township at Quitman Methodist church in the morning, and will hold the Atchison township convention at Clearmont in the Baptist church in the afternoon.

May 20 the first team will hold the Monroe township convention at Skidmore, and the third team, composed of O. G. Null, Prof. A. H. Cooper, E. M. Claypool, and Miss Iva Vance, will hold a convention in Independence township at Parnell.

May 27 the first team will hold a convention in Lincoln township at Elmo, and a convention will also be held on this date in Nodaway township at Burlington Junction.

June 17 the following conventions will be held: Hughes township at Graham, first team; Hopkins township at Hopkins, third team; Union township, at Pickering, third team.

June 24, two conventions will be held. Jackson township at Ravenwood, second team, composed of H. C. Bowers, Miss Lucy Davis, Mrs. R. M. Barry and White Cloud township, at Arkoe, first team.

July 8, Polk township, at Maryville, all teams.

September 19 and 20, Nodaway county Sunday school convention will be held at Pickering.

November 20, 21 and 22, State Sunday school convention at Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKee and daughter, of near Ravenwood, were in Maryville on business yesterday.

THE BEARCATS TO TARKIO

Normal Boys Will Try to Take Their Ancient Rivals to an Old-Fashioned Trimming.

The Normal baseball team will travel over to Tarkio tomorrow and try to take their ancient rivals to an old-fashioned trimming. If the Normalites can win this game, they will retrieve themselves for their poor showing in the game with William Jewell College here last Friday.

Coach Palfreyman has given the team a big shake-up and hopes to get good results from the new combination. The biggest problem to solve was the filling of the hole left by the loss of William Todd of Albany, who enlisted in the army. Todd was the best outfielder on the team. N. C. Wagers was shifted to Todd's position, center field, and Neil Garard was brought in from the outfield and placed at second.

Scarlett and Allison have changed places, Scarlett going to the outfield, and Allison to first. Bird and Ferguson retained their places on the right side of the diamond and the battery will remain the same, Van Cleve and Sawyers. Andrews or DeMoss will take right field.

PLAN FOR DECORATION DAY

Burlington Junction Residents Will Also Observe Memorial Day, May 27 — Committees Appointed.

Burlington Junction residents are planning to observe Memorial day, Sunday, May 27, and Decoration day, Wednesday, May 30.

The memorial services will be held at the Methodist church on the Sunday designated at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Ernest Snider will preach the sermon.

Decoration day services will be held at the Christian church at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Horace S. Weaver will deliver the address after which the graves will be decorated.

The following committees have been appointed to make the programs a success.

Automobiles—C. B. Zarn, J. W. Praiswater, L. O. Staples, J. W. Smith.

Flowers—Mrs. Mary Peters, Mrs. Frank Nicholas, Miss Zeffie Johnston, Mrs. C. D. Lane, Mrs. W. P. Nicholas, Mrs. C. T. Ferguson, Mrs. Fred Greenelsh.

Marking graves—W. H. Davis, A. F. Stitt, John Fox.

Music—R. N. Barber, R. D. Corken, Mrs. C. E. Walker, Miss Alice Peters.

Flags—Commercial club.

FITE CASE APPEALED

14-Year-Old Boy, Sentenced to Reformatory, May Be Released On Bond.

Herschel Fite was sentenced to three years in the reform school at Boonville, late yesterday afternoon by the county court on the information of Prosecuting Attorney Sawyers, who said that his associates are bad, and that unless restrained he was liable to become a criminal. Fite is only fourteen years old and was arrested by Sheriff Dowden for stealing chickens.

An appeal was filed today by Ellis G. Cook, attorney for Fite, and this was granted by the county court. The boy will be released on bond as soon as it is procured. The bond had not been procured late this afternoon.

Will Observe Mothers' Day.

Special exercises will be held at the First Christian church in honor of Mothers' Day. The Sunday school orchestra will give a program and each mother who attends will be given a carnation.

Hopkins Men for Officers.

Harlan D. Wells and John M. Garrison of Hopkins were examined yesterday at St. Joseph for Officers' Reserve corps.

Dr. Kessler of Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

CHILDREN'S MEET

TRAINING SCHOOL PROGRAM AT NORMAL THIS AFTERNOON.

FOR THE GIRLS AND BOYS

Children Give Program in Gymnasium Followed by Track and Field Events —Prizes Given to High Scorers.

The Training school exercises conducted by the teachers of the Training school were held in the Normal gymnasium and at the Normal park this afternoon.

The first part of the program was held in the gymnasium. The following acted as ushers: Bennett French, Eugene DeArmond, Paul Farmer, Shane King, Lawrence Masters, and Cleo Shinabargar. Kindergarten songs and exercises were first given, followed by a reading by Miss Lesan. The other numbers were: Virginia Reel; Star Spangled Banner, Miss Peter; Duet chorus, Seventh and Eighth grades girls; Flower Songs; Flower Song, Primary girls; Soldier Boys; Dance, "The Rill," Grades I, II, and III; Red Cross Girls; Loyal Hearts Primary girls; Flag salute; Military drill; Maypole dance; Girls of grades four to eight; Talk, Mrs. Colbert; and Talk, by Dr. E. L. Harrington.

The Field Events.

Track and field events for both girls and boys followed. The Department of Physical Education awarded a glove, a bat and a ball to the winners respectively of the highest, next highest, and third highest number of points.

The girls' program of field events was as follows: Flay Relay, Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4; Ball throwing, Grades 5, 6 7, and 8; Three-legged race (boys) Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4; Potato race, Grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8; 20-yard dash, Grades 1, 2, and 3; 20-yard dash (boys), Grades 1, 2, and 3; 50-yard dash, Grades 7 and 8; nail driving contest, Grades 7 and 8; Nail driving contest, Grades 5 and 6. Twirling shuttle relay, Grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

The Boys' Track Meet.

The boys' track meet with classes, events and entries were as follows:

Class A—120 pounds and over.

Events—100-yard dash; 120-yard low hurdles; running high jump; putting 12-lb. shot; running broad jump; pole vault.

Entries—Eugene DeArmond, Paul Farmer, Bennett French, Shane King, Lawrence Masters.

Class B—90 to 120 pounds.

Events—75-yard dash; running high jump; standing broad jump; three-legged race, 50 yards; sack race, 50 yards; throwing baseball.

Entries—Ralph Eversole, Russell Howard, Harold Roelofson, James Sharer, Cleo Shinabargar, Allen Sharp, Glen Trullinger.

Class C—75 to 90 pounds.

Events—50-yard dash; three-legged race, 50 yards; sack race, 50 yards; standing broad jump; pole vault; running high jump.

Entries—Paul Brown, Felix Brown, Dorsey Childress, Delos Dowling, Orville Fannon, Neville Hartman, Lewis Howard, Homer Ogden.

Class D—Below 75 pounds.

Events—40-yard dash; three-legged race; sack race; running high jump; standing broad jump; throwing baseball.

Entries—Ned Colbert, Dean Dorman, Conrad Fair, Eldon Green, Harold Green, Forrest Martin.

Officials—Neil Garard, Henry Gannon, Paul Andrew, F. W. Baker, Glenn Corum. They will be assisted by the class in Theory of Coaching.

The officials at the track meet were: Neil Garard, Henry Gannon, Paul Andrew, F. W. Baker and Glenn Corum, assisted by the class in Theory of Coaching.

JOFFRE AT WEST POINT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, May 11.—After two days of intensified wining and dining and bowing and smiling, Joffre and his party quit New York for a first glimpse of the mainstay of the United States army. They departed this morning for a day at West Point.

CHINESE WAR PARTY DEFEATED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pekin, May 11.—The war party was defeated in the first test vote in the Chinese House of Representatives. The house rejected the motion to vote for a declaration of war against Germany, although mobs on the outside were clamoring for war.

LARGE BARN BURNS

BUILDING BELONGING TO JAMES VERT OF WILCOX, DESTROYED.

LOSS WAS ABOUT $3,500

Corn, Harness, Implements, Wagon and Tools Among Things Lost— Covered By Insurance.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed a barn belonging to James Vert, living three-fourths of a mile southwest of Wilcox at 10:30 o'clock last night. The loss was about $3,500 and was fully covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered by Clark Lambert a farm hand on the Vert place, who had returned from Maryville about 10 o'clock in the evening and had put a saddle in the barn. He had been at the house fifteen minutes when he said he noticed a light reflecting on the wall. Looking out, he saw the whole barn in flames. Nothing could be done to save the barn and the efforts of Mr. Vert and the neighbors were directed toward saving the garage and the hog house, which were situated nearby.

Mr. Vert had turned all of his horses into the pasture and consequently, saved all of them, but he lost 200 bushels of corn, twenty-five bushels of seed corn, three tons of hay, a wagon, about eight or ten sets of harness, a corn planter, two cultivators and all of his tools. Mr. Vert paid $85 for a new set of harness just two weeks ago.

The garage which the fire fighters saved contained an automobile and two buggies.

ESTATES ADMINISTERED

Probate Court Appoints Four Men to Act As Administrators This Morning.

Several estates were administered on in probate court yesterday. Herbert M. Hildebrant was appointed administrator of the estate of James M. Hildebrant, who died at his home in Guilford on May 4. Charles H. Milbank was selected as administrator of the estate of Samuel Milbank, who died at his home in Clearmont on April 16. Henry Wright was appointed administrator of the estate of Lena J. Wright, who died April 27.

Thomas L. Clements was appointed administrator of the estate of Leo Clements, who died at Guilford May 3. The estate is left to his wife, Sarah B. Clements and after her death or remarriage to be given to his three children, Leona M. Clements, Thomas L. Clements and Mary J. Reynolds. The will was written February 11, 1906, and the witnesses were Joseph B. Wood and A. C. Laughlin.

MISS CARYL COOK PLEASES

Charming Interpretation of "Peter Pan," Heard by Small But Appreciative Audience.

Miss Caryl Cook in her charming interpretation of "Peter Pan," was greeted by a small but appreciative audience at the Christian church last night. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church.

Miss Cook was assisted by Miss Hazel Smith, who played the operatic scores during the reading.

Comments from those who heard the reading were all favorable. Miss Cook's marvelous versatility in presenting the characters of the "Pirate King," "Peter" and "Wendy," deserving special mention.

12 Rural Graduates.

There will be twelve graduates of the rural schools of Jackson township and commencement exercises will be held at Ravenwood Monday night. The graduates are: Merlin Warehime, Myrtle Tucker, Sylvia Rogers, Eva Lawson, Alma Wygal, Elmer Stockstill, Fred McKee, Glen Goodson, Mona Farr, Dorse V. Conn, Curtis S. Bishop and Marvin Bishop.

Burlington Junction Meet.

The township field and track meet for the pupils of the grade and rural schools of Nodaway, Lincoln, Green and Atchison townships, will be held at Burlington Junction beginning at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The prizes for the different events have been donated by the merchants of the town.

P. L. Growney returned last night from a business trip to Kansas City.

THE NEW BROOM.

—Greene in New York Telegram.

GERMANS CONTINUE ATTACK

Artillery Duels Between Enemies Constant Without Distinct Advantage On Either Side.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 11.—The Germans are still continuing their attacks on General Haig's forces, east of Arras, the British war office reported today, but at no place, it was stated, have the Germans been successful in their attempts to regain the ground wrested from them. The artillery duels between the Germans and the British are almost constant without either side having any distinct advantage.

Capture German Positions.

Paris, May 11.—The French last night stormed and captured the German positions in the region of Chevreux.

DISCUSS COUNTY ROADS

H. W. Graham, Road Supervisor is Receiving Applications for County Highways Included in System.

H. W. Graham of Chillicothe, road supervisor of the State Highway department for District No. 1, is in Maryville this afternoon meeting with the county clerk, the county court and the members of the Highway Commission in order to determine the county roads that will become part of the state highway system. Mr. Graham is receiving applications from the commissioners and the roads will be designated later.

The following are present at the meeting: E. C. Wolfers, Sr., Hopkins, Harry Wamsley, Arkoe, John Burch, and John Cleary Clearmort; I. V. Moore, Ravenwood and C. A. Wolfers, Hopkins.

Elmo Club Organized.

Elmo had already organized its Food club when Prof. R. A. Kinnaird of the Extension department arrived and the meeting time last night was spent in discussing the work to be carried on by the club. The following officers were elected at a previous meeting: President, George P. Shottaugh; vice-president, A. B. Heitmann, and secretary-treasurer, C. R. LaMar.

To Visit in Moberly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve left this morning for Moberly, their former home, where they will visit old friends and attend to some business matters.

Zebrugge Is Bombarded.

London, May 11. — Zebrugge was bombarded last night by the English aeroplanes. A flotilla of torpedo boats also shelled the Belgian coast.

Mrs. Carl Wray and two children and Mrs. Eunice Parr of Guilford are visiting in Savannah this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Pickering are among the out-of-town people in Maryville today.

STATES WAR PLANS

COUNCIL OF DEFENSE DECIDES MEASURES TO HELP COUNTRY.

COUNTY UNITS ARE ASKED

Co-operation in All Kinds of Service Is Big Need for the Nation Now.

The plans that will enable Missouri to do its share in conserving the nation's food supply have been completed. The newly formed Missouri Council of Defense, which met yesterday in St. Louis, perfected an organization for carrying on the work. The plan as outlined by Dean F. B. Mumford of the College of Agriculture, chairman of the council, calls first for organizing permanent headquarters at Jefferson City. A secretary will be appointed, with offices in the capitol.

The main work will then be placed in the hands of eleven committees. These will be organization, agriculture and food production, distribution and marketing, farm product survey, food conservation, labor, mineral resources, public education, army and navy, finance and women's defense work. These committees will carry on their work by forming councils of defense in each county and township.

Means of Co-operation Told.

The council is giving out this statement to the people, and especially to the county and township councils, urging them to co-operate with the nation in the following ways:

1. Increase the production of food crops by:
   a. Increasing the acreage.
   b. Increasing the yields per acre.
   c. Increasing the garden crops.
   d. Preventing destruction of the crops by injurious insects.
   e. Writing to the College of Agriculture for information on all matters pertaining to agriculture and food production.
   f. Write to the State Board of Agriculture for information on the distributing and marketing of farm products, control of animal diseases, and farm and crop statistics.
2. Conserve food by:
   a. Preventing waste.
   b. Preserve foods by canning and

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RUSSIAN DANGER

ABSENCE OF UNITY MAY CAUSE SEPARATE PEACE WITH GERMANY

HAVE 3 GOVERNMENTS

Revolt of Workmen in Munitions District Further Adds to Complications in Situation.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 11.—Three separate governments exist in Russia and owing to the lack of activity and solidarity in Petrograd there is real danger of Russia negotiating a separate peace with Germany. These facts were revealed today by a Japanese diplomat who has reached the United States from Petrograd. Secretary Lansing announced that the United States is bound by no agreement not to make a separate peace with Germany, but no separate peace would be made until Germany is vanquished, he said.

Situation is Menacing.

London, May 11.—Russia's internal dissensions were further complicated today by the revolt of the workingmen and citizens in the Schlussenberg munitions district, according to a dispatch lately received. The provisional president of the district has been arrested but there was no bloodshed. The rebels announced their intention of forming a separate republic.

London, May 11.—The antagonism between the present Russian government and the committee of workmen and soldiers' delegates has become so acute as to make affairs in Petrograd at the most critical stage since the revolution. According to Petrograd correspondence in the Daily News, the creation of a coalition ministry may lead to dual authority instead of avoiding it.

HARD FIGHT ON ARMY BILL

Much Dissatisfaction in Senate Over Action on Roosevelt Volunteer Amendment.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 11.—Every indication today pointed to much hard fighting in Congress, particularly in the Senate before the conscription bill is finally enacted into a law.

Much dissatisfaction prevails in the Senate over the action of the conferees in striking out the amendment authorizing the acceptance of a Roosevelt division.

The Washington officials say that the newly devised plans to keep food from this country out of Germany are certain of success. All shipments hereafter will be watched up to their final destination.

Will Fight For Volunteers.

Washington, May 11.—Representative Gardner of Massachusetts served notice on the House that he will make a fight for the Roosevelt volunteer amendment when the conscription bill comes up tomorrow.

Announces Russian Commission.

Washington, May 11.—Secretary Lansing announced the following members of the commission to Russia, headed by Elihu Root: Major General Scott, Rear-Admiral Glenn, Charles R. Crane and Cyrus McCormick, Chicago; John R. Mott, Samuel R. Bontron and Charles Russell, New York and James Duncan, Massachusetts.

Sink Norwegian Steamers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, May 11.—The German submarines sunk the Norwegian steamers, Tiger and Liekaner, off the coast of Spain, according to dispatches received today.

Fred Breit and Charley Evans of Parnell were in Maryville yesterday.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

Electric Theatre To-Night

'The Prince Chap'

All Star Cast—Marshal Neilson, Mary Charleson, Bessie Eyton and George Fawcett.

This is considered one of the pictures on the market.

5c and 10c 5c and 10c

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STATES WAR PLANS

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during.

3. Consume more food products grown in the local community.

4. Educate the people as to the magnitude of the task ahead of the American nation.

5. Aid in recruiting the National Guard and the regular army.

Registration Day Holiday Asked.

6. Aid in every way in carrying out the enrollment for the army which has been authorized by Congress. Make the registration day a holiday throughout the state.

7. Assist the War Department in applying intelligently the selective draft plan. Exemptions on account of industrial, agricultural and other reasons are to be determined by local committees.

8. Encourage the recruiting of the additional number required by the United States Navy.

9. There will be a shortage of labor throughout the Nation. Organize some definite system so that the worker and employer may be put in contact with each other.

10. Assist in floating the Liberty Loan.

11. Appoint the following committees to have charge of the subjects indicated in your county:

a. Agriculture.
b. Labor.
c. Utilization and economy.
d. Distributing and marketing.
e. Finance.
f. Manufacture.

12. Co-operate with every state agency at work for the national defense.

13. Co-operate with the emergency food agent working for increased food production in your county. This official represents the College of Agriculture and the U. S. Department of Agriculture and is backed by the authority of the President of the United States and Congress. He will be fully informed on many matters of vital interest to the community.

To Represent M. W. A.

R. A. Walker of Skidmore was selected as one of the two representatives from Missouri to attend the National convention of the Modern Woodmen of America at Chicago, June 19 to 23. Mr. Walker was one of the county delegates to the state meeting at Springfield held recently. There were seven candidates for delegates to the National convention.

Mrs. Katherine Brady and daughter, Miss Katherine of Plattsburg, who came to Maryville to attend the funeral services of Thomas Taylor, will visit for a few days with friends.

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REV. W. H. RUST, SPEAKER

Will Address Eighth Grade Graduates at Burlington Junction and Present Diplomas.

The Eighth grade commencement exercises of Nodaway township will be held at the Christian church Friday night, May 18, in Burlington Junction, according to the Post. The address will be made by Rev. W. H. Rust, who will also present the diplomas to the graduates. A large class will be graduated this year which is encouraging to the extent that it shows more pupils are going higher in the grades each year.

The program will begin at 8 o'clock and will consist of the following numbers:

Class march, Orpha Carlisle; Invocation, Rev. Horace S. Weaver; Song; Reading, Anna Margaret Hoffman; Duet, Wilma Bush, Eva Bever; Recitation, Inez Carter; Reading, Ruby Neff; Solo, Miss West; Reading, Russell Culp; Instrumental solo, Etta Trusty; Reading, Cecil Culver; Song, Eudora school; Reading, Anna Sue Gill; Solo Duthiel McGinnis; Presentation of diplomas, Rev. W. H. Rust.

The members of the graduating class this year are:

Burlington Junction—Etta Trusty, Flora Engle, Neomi Hood, Russell Culp, Belle Hardy, Raymond Alvis Chas. Dodge, Wm. Springer, Walter Walton, Marie McLain, Mary Ballenger, Gladys Dale, Nellie Hartness, Anna Margaret Hoffman, Vella Humphrey, Duthiel McGinnis.

Evans—Eva Bever, Wilma Bush.

Pleasant Valley—Ruby Neff.

Eudora—James Violett.

BARNARD CLASS EXERCISES

Ten Boys and Girls Will Be Graduated From the High School, Friday, May 18.

The program for the commencement exercises of the Barnard High school was announced today by J. W. Pierce, principal of the school. The baccalaureate sermon will be given next Sunday by Rev. Moorman, of the North M. E. church of Barnard. The class exercises will be given Friday night, May 18, when Rev. Ernest Snider of Burlington Junction will give the class address. The class play, "Blossoming of Mary Ann," will be held Tuesday night, May 22.

The members of the class are Fern Campbell, Lucile Gardner, Harry Nelson, Virgil Robinson, Robert Goforth, Allie Hager, Marie Turner, Opal Snyder, Loree Strader and Cletta Rasco.

A Profitable Mare.

Frank Dougan told us this week that the mare of his that has a colt every three weeks has been a mighty profitable one for him. He bought her as a four-year-old and during the eight years he owned her he has sold $1,184 worth of mules, and has left a 2-year-old valued at $150 and a sucking mule. The total production of this mare in eight years has been better than $1,400. If any reader of the Bulletin can show a better record, we would be pleased to publish it.—Barnard Bulletin.

Atchison Township Convention.

The Atchison Township Sunday School convention will be held in Clearmant Sunday at the Baptist church. G. B. Roseberry, Miss Eva Davis and Miss Julia Denny of Maryville are on the program.

TELLS OF CAMP LIFE

LEWIS B. HUNT, NORMAL STUDENT LIKES "SOLDIERING" FINE.

Says Recruits Are Coming In at the Rate of One Thousand A Day —Other Interesting Points.

Lewis B. Hunt, a former student of the State Normal school, who left last week for Jefferson Barracks to join the medical corps of the United States army, has written an interesting letter about the life at the barracks. The letter is written to the Philomathean literary society, of which Mr. Hunt was a member.

"Jefferson Barracks, Mo.
"Company 18.

"Dear Philos:

"This letter will probably be slightly disconnected, as there are a bunch of "rookies" carrying on a general conversation within a few feet of me. We are very crowded here as there are nearly one thousand come in every day. Nearly three hundred and fifty from my company are leaving tomorrow for different points in the United States. The medical corps has not sent over twelve out in the last two months. We are figuring on a big shipment in a week or two and here's hoping I get to go. The boys for the most part are well educated fellows. This means of course in the medical corps, engineers corps, and signal corps. There are all varieties and ages of men in the infantry and "Calvery" as most of the fellows call it.

"The drill sergeant barks out 'left! right! left! right! 1! 2! 3! 4!' Some of the fellows can't tell right from left or side wise march from forward march. The sergeants seem strict at first, but it is no wonder with the number of boneheads that drift in. The work is pleasant, only three hours of drill each morning and one-half hour's rest between each half-hour drill. The food, although very plain, is good and substantial and there is plenty of it. The fellows at first turn away from some of the coarser food, but after a day or two they make one dash for "chow" as they call mess. One sergeant said if they wanted to totally destroy an opposing army, the only thing they needed to do was to put it between the eighteenth and the mess house and holler "chow."

"Every one is required to be out at revielle at 5:40 o'clock and is required to march across the parade grounds in front of the building and gather up all trash and orange peels. If he returns without anything he is sent back across the 40-acre tract. If there is any work to be done, there are always plenty to do it. All one has to do is his part. I have had to stop three times during the last half hour to answer a roll call, sweep up a hall-way, and answer mail call.

"The mess hall is the most interesting part of the barracks, in more ways than one. The number served each meal is nearly 7,000 on some days. These are handled in shifts of 1,320 apiece. The tables are high board tables with a number of small stools on each side. The food is on the table and meat is served on the plates, and only one helping of it. The vegetable dishes are filled up from large boilers held in a heat retaining truck. The man stands there with a dipper that holds a dish full of the vegetables and the waiters line up holding their empty dishes. The waiters are men called from the different companies. They call the kitchen duty "kitchen fatigue." The men hate this because they have to get up a half-hour earlier and they do not have their afternoon's off. Every man is supposed to do duty three times in three weeks.

"All the 'rookies' look awkward to start with but in a few days they straighten up and throw out their chests and walk like cadets.

"How are the contests coming? Here's hoping the Philos trample all over the Eurekans and I know they will. With the team the Philos have I can see a well-earned victory. I must go over to "chow." I'd like to hear from any or all of the Philos at any time and I will gladly give any information about the army life I'm allowed to.

"A Philo forever,
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Robert Warwick and Doris Kenyon Will Be Seen at Empire Theatre In "A Girl's Folly."

"I hate you, Johnny Applebaum, you drove away the man of my dreams!"

Practical, unimaginative Johnny did not appreciate how romantic his country sweetheart was, so he could not sympathize with her desires for a bigger, broader outlook than she had in a little country town. So, one morning, Johnny's sweetheart followed a famous moving picture star to the city where she was given a part as the ingenue in a new motion picture production.

And then—

You can see what happened then at the Empire theatre tonight as this latest World Picture, Brady-Made entitled "A Girl's Folly," will then be seen. Robert Warwick and Doris Kenyon, two screen favorites, will be seen in the principal roles in this very unique offering. No film fan will care to miss this offering as it shows a film studio in the process of turning out a motion picture.

Jumped Too High—Fractured Arm.

Virgil Yates, the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yates, suffered a fracture of his arm while doing some pole vaulting stunts at the school house Tuesday noon. Virgil went up all right, but came down wrong end first, the weight of his body falling on his arm and the bone was fractured near the wrist. He was brought to the office of Dr. C. E. Cossins, where the bone was set. According to Virgil's playmates, he "jumped too high."—Burlington Junction Post.

Returns From Canada.

Edwin Caldwell of Burlington Junction has returned from Quebec, Canada, where he went to receive a shipment of Aberdeen-Angus cattle which had been purchased through an agent in England and Scotland.

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MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY

Suggestions to Childless Women.

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these columns.

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—"I want other women to know what a blessing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. We had always wanted a baby in our home but I was in poor health and not able to do my work. My mother and husband both urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, my health improved and I am now the mother of a fine baby girl and do all my own house work."—Mrs. ALLIA B. TIMMONS, 216 Almond St., Poplar Bluff, Mo.

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"BIDDY" TO THE FRONT.

Mrs. Cleil Vanfossen of Barnard Sells $200 Worth of Eggs in March.

According to the Barnard Bulletin, Mrs. Cleil Vanfossen sold in the month of March from her poultry $200 worth of eggs. In the month of April she has done better, 500 hens laying 866 dozen of eggs besides those used at the table and for hatching, which sold for a little over $250, each hen averaging 50 cents during the month. Besides this, Mrs. Vanfossen has 750 young chickens which will grow into more money.

Changes of Address in the City.

The following changes of address have recently been made in the city.

Dr. A. N. Gray, 322 N. Mulberry to 704 N. Main.

Clark Scott, N. Main to 319 S. Main.

J. Pearl Green, 207 S. Saunders to 1002 E. Fourth.

Mrs. F. S. Grundy, 1002 E. Fourth to 421 W. Fourth.

W. C. Pearson, 421 W. Fourth to 116 N. Buchanan.

L. R. Zahm, 118 N. Buchanan to 414 W. Second.

Hosick Holmes, 702 E. First to 409 E. First.

I. E. Tulloch, 615 E. Fourth to 702 E. First.

A. Stapler, 403 E. First to 503 S. Vine.

A. A. Brewer, 704 N. Mulberry to 715 E. First.

Prof. J. M. McDonald, 715 E. First to 704 N. Mulberry.

T. H. Leet, 209 S. Market to 504 S. Mulberry.

Clyde Avitt, 909 E. Second to 1204 E. Third.

Roy Yeaman, 1204 E. Third to 1303 E. Fourth.

A. D. Saunders, 122 N. Depot to 909 E. Second.

Mrs. Nettie Warren, W. Fifth to 117 S. Dewey.

Howard McCaffrey, 117 S. Dewey to 220 S. Saunders.

Mrs. Culverson, 1116 E. First to 804 E. Third.

R. R. Brown, 220 S. Saunders to 601 E. Third.

R. G. Koch, 116 N. Buchanan to Kansas City, Mo.

Chas. Holdaway, 602 E. Fourth to Laurens, Ia.

Wilson House Completed.

The new house on the Wilson farm southeast of Burlington Junction was completed last week by H. E. Clark and Earl Graham, herdsman on the Wilson farm, is now living in it. Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Wilson will move to the old homestead within a few days.—Burlington Junction Post.

Flowers for Mother's Day

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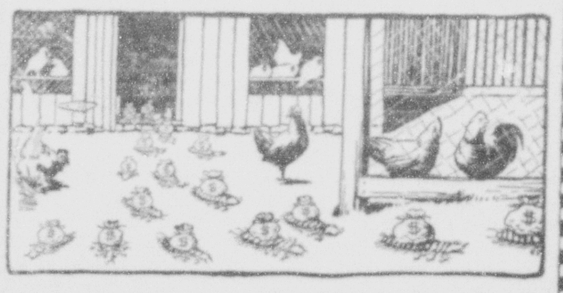

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Burlington Junction Teachers.

The following teachers have been elected for the next term in the Burlington Junction schools: Room 1, Miss Hortense Van Sandt, Craig; Room 2, Miss Jennie Hann, Burlington Junction; Room 3, Miss Stella Hurst, Burlington Junction; Room 4, Miss Zella Tibbetts, Mound City; Room 5, Miss Addie Carpenter, Burlington Junction.

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SOME REGISTRATION PLANS

Many States Will Make Conscription Affair the Occasion of Patriotic Demonstrations.

Many states plan to make registration day for the new army conscription the occasion for fetes and patriotic demonstrations. Many places are planning on barbecues and like affairs to draw the people, so that those upon whom the duty of registration devolves will know that they have the support of their fellows of all occupations and of all ages.

"The questions which are to be answered involve comparatively few subjects; The name in full; the age in years; the home address; the date of birth; the quality of citizenship, natural born, naturalized, or the condition of declaration of intention; the place of birth; trade; occupation or office; employment and by whom employed; dependents, if any; married or single; race; former military service and where it was rendered, and, lastly, claims of exemption from draft, with the specific grounds therefor.

"Several of the states have relieved the government entirely of expense connected with the work of securing complete registration; in fact, helpfulness seems to be common to the country."

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With Othine Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

Theodore Stingley and sister Miss Amarinth of Ravenwood were in Maryville on business Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Hunterson and children of Ravenwood were in Maryville yesterday.

JOIN ST. JOSEPH LEAGUE

Girls' Knitting Society Will Begin By Making Sailor Sets for Jackies On Battleship, Missouri.

The Maryville girls' Knitting society has affiliated with the St. Joseph National Navy League, which has pledged itself to make 800 sets of sleeveless jackets, mufflers and wristlets for the jackies on the battleship Missouri. The girls will make whichever garment they prefer and then will send them to St. Joseph where the sets will be made up.

The yarn for the sets may be procured from Miss Martha Koch or Miss Olivette Godsey, who will also arrange for teachers where needed. The instructions for knitting the sets as furnished by the St. Joseph league are as follows:

Sleeveless Jackets.

Cast on 80 stitches.
Knit 2, purl 2 stitches for 4 inches.
Knit plain until sweater measures 22 inches.
Knit 28 stitches, bind off 24 stitches for neck.
Knit 28 stitches.
Knit 5 rows on each shoulder, cast on 24 stitches.
Knit plain for 19 stitches.
Purl 2, knit 2 stitches for 4 inches.
Sew up sides, leaving 9 inches for arm holes.
No. 5 celluloid needles. Gray knitting yarn.

Mufflers.

Cast on 50 stitches.
Plain knitting for 58 inches.
No. 5 celluloid needles. Dark blue knitting yarn.

Wristlets.

Cast on 50 stitches.
Knit 2, purl 2 stitches for 12 inches.
Sew up, leaving 2 inch space for thumb, 4 inches from top.
No. 3 bone needles. Gray knitting yarn.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN HERE

Terry Company Will Present Favorite Slave Play Friday, May 25 — Parade A Feature.

Announcement is made of the coming of the old-favorite and much talked of play, Uncle Tom's Cabin. Many amusement enterprises have grown from small companies to two and three car shows the Terry company being one that is found in this class, having started twenty-seven years ago with a small troupe of ten people gradually augmenting their attraction until now they are carrying fifty people and traveling in their own Pullman cars, their great success being due to the fact that the shows management has always had the energy, push and honest business dealings, in presenting this mammoth Uncle Tom's Cabin Company.

Special attention has also been given to the bands and orchestras this season, nothing but the highest class musicians being engaged for the company. Terry's concert bands will give one concert on the main street at 7:00 p. m., big street parade at 12 o'clock noon, on the day of their appearance. Remember Terry's Uncle Tom's Cabin will show one night only at Maryville, on Friday, May 25.

SIX PATIENTS PAROLED.

County Court Orders Five Asylum Inmates Taken to County Farm.

The county court yesterday ordered six patients in the state hospital No. 2 at St. Joseph paroled, five of them to be taken to the county farm. The hospital authorities state that these patients are harmless and would be as well off out of that institution as in. They are Alfred Voegel, Bennie Wray, Abraham Lund, Almeta Rogers and Maggie Stingley. T. M. McGuire was paroled to his father, Daniel McGuire.

Visited at Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCoppin returned yesterday from Bolckow where they visited at the home of Mrs. McCoppin's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dougan. While in Bolckow they attended the lot sale and barbecue held yesterday. The lots brought $13,000, Mr. McCoppin said, and were purchased by Bolckow residents. Five hogs furnished the meat for the barbecue.

To Speak at Blythedale.

Prof. W. J. Osburn of the State Normal School went to Blythedale today to take President Richardson's place on the Commencement program to be given there tonight. Prof. Osburn will give the class address.

Band Concert Tonight.

The band concert, which was postponed last night on account of the rain will be held tonight instead if the weather permits. If rain should prevent the giving of the concert tonight the regular Sunday afternoon concert will be given.

Guests at Brink Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohart of Maitland and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

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Meeting Place Changed.

The P. E. O. Chapter will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Fred Kurtz instead of with Mrs. M. G. Tate as was first planned.

Miss Moody Entertains.

Miss Luta Moody entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at the Edwards Cafe in honor of Miss Bertha LaBouffe, of St. Joseph and Miss Ella O'Grady.

Ladies' Aid Meets.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church held their regular monthly meeting at the church yesterday afternoon. Plans for the annual bazaar were made. The meeting was well attended.

Entertain For Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink were host and hostess at a 1 o'clock dinner party given today at their home on East Sixth street. Their guests were. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohart of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellows and daughter, Helen Marie, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer and daughter, Margaret Louise.

Mrs. Kidder, Hostess.

Mrs. A. P. Kidder entertained the Bedison H. C. club Wednesday afternoon, May 9. The subject for the afternoon was "Missouri." Roll call was responded by naming some prominent Missourian. The social hour was spent in discussing the resources of Missouri and in a floral wedding guessing game. Music was furnished by the club members. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Clair. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. W. Thompson, Wednesday, May 23.

Willing Helpers Meet.

The Pioneer Willing Helpers met Wednesday afternoon, May 9, at the home of Mrs. C. R. Green. The usual business hour was held followed by a social hour. The following guests were present: Mrs. Milt Swearingen, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. George Gay, Mrs. Roy Gay, Mrs. Earl Gay, Mrs. Fred Buck, Mrs. Ova Heflin, Mrs. Clint Wood, Mrs. Will Rhoades, Mrs. C. C. Moore, Miss Anna Shanks, and the hostess. Refreshments were served. The next meeting, May 23, will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Gay.

I. I. Club Session.

The I. I. club met with Mrs. A. L. Taylor Wednesday, May 9. Members responded to roll call with their favorite pastimes. After the business meeting a program in honor of Mother's Day was given. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess. The members present were: Mrs. Claude Shell, Mrs. A. H. Hughes, Mrs. Will Osborn, Mrs. Allen Haller, Mrs. Ed Seipel, Mrs. Byron Kinsley, Mrs. Brice Hall, Mrs. Andrew Fink, Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. E. W. Babb, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. John Halasey, Misses Jennie Duncan, Lida Onstott, Irene Babb, Leta Babb, Nellie Halasey. The visitors present were: Mrs. James Onstott, Grandma Kinsley, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Misses Mary Taylor, Aurilla Burris, Anna Marjorie Halasey, Reah, Francis, Rebecca and Ella Marjorie Shell, Vernon and Marie Taylor, Robert Seipel, Francis Kinsley, and Clara Bell Moore. The next meeting will be held May 23 with Mrs. E. W. Babb. A memorial program will be given.

Line Party From Skidmore.

The Skidmore High school faculty, the seniors and the juniors drove to Maryville last night and formed a line party to the Empire Theatre. The seniors and the faculty were entertained by the juniors.

For Miss Mildred Woods.

A number of young people were very delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Woods of Quitman in honor of the eighteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Mildred Woods. Games and music furnished amusement for the evening. Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Slack and Mrs. Browning. Miss Woods received several pretty and useful gifts.

Dr. Clark Entertains.

The King's Daughters Sunday school class of the First Methodist church met last night with Dr. Jessie Clark at her rooms at the Bainum Hotel. A business session was held during which a social committee was appointed to plan meetings for the coming month. Those on the committee are: Miss Vada Foland, Miss Gladys Ford and Miss Bertha Pettigrew. A social hour was held after the business meeting. Those present were: Misses Vada Foland, Gladys Ford, Florence Anderson, Jessie Lyons, Edna Moore, and Bertha Pettigrew and the hostess.

Entertains W. C. I. Club.

The W. C. I. club held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Ben Booher.

After regular business session, led by the president, the following program was responded to at roll call: "Our Club," being the subject for the afternoon, "Original Poems," which were very interesting, were prepared and read. "Our Club," by Mrs. Edward Cummins, "What the Club Means to Me," by Mrs. Elmer Baker. Paper prepared by Mrs. Benjamin Booher was, "The Knowledge That it Enables Me to Learn is one of the Chief Pleasures of Being a Member of This Club." A musical selection "Lord Dismiss us With Thy Blessing," closed the afternoon program.

During the social hour refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. R. P. Ferguson, May 17. The subject for the afternoon will be a continuation of the subject at this last meeting, "Our Club."—Burlington Junction Post.

To Address Rural Graduates.

Prof. C. A. Hawkins and Supt. Bert Cooper will attend the rural commencement exercises at Hopkins tonight. Professor Hawkins will give the address to the graduates. The rural commencement exercises at Gaynor will be held May 19.

Beals Arrive Home.

Mrs. Thaddeus J. Beal and daughter, Miss Bertha, returned yesterday from St. Joseph, where they have been spending several days. Mrs. Beal and daughter have been spending several months in St. Augustine, Fla., and Chattanooga, Tenn., and on their return stopped in St. Joseph for a visit. Miss Allie Beal, who also spent the winter in Florida, and Tennessee, returned to Maryville several days ago.

Mr. McClaskey Buried.

Funeral services for John McClaskey who died yesterday morning at his home on North Mulberry street, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Price and McNeal undertaking parlors conducted by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Burial was in the Miriam cemetery. The pall bearers were, Arch Frank, Charley Kiser, Mark Cummins Jr., M. G. Tate, S. E. Fisher, and Al Croy.

Appointed Administrator.

G. P. Shoptaugh and Dennis Hutchings were appointed administrators of the estate of W. H. Adkins, who died at Elmo May 8.

To Report at Officers' Camp.

R. O. Hogan of this city and Harvey McClary of St. Joseph have been ordered to report at the officers' training camp at Fort Riley, Kan.

MAY FORM A DRAINAGE CO.

Meeting of Arkoe and Barnard Farmers Saturday to Discuss the Straightening of 102.

There is considerable talk of forming a drainage company to straighten the One Hundred and Two river from where the drainage ditch ends at the Carr Bridge to the Andrew county line. A meeting will be held at Barnard Saturday to discuss the proposition. The following is from this week's Barnard Bulletin:

Monday morning Sam Corrough and Clayton Carr of Arkoe came down to interview some men here regarding forming a drainage company to straighten the One Hundred and Two river from Arkoe to the Andrew county line. Their talk with the men in Barnard was so satisfactory that a meeting has been called for Saturday night, May 12, at the Barnard State Bank to effect a preliminary organization for the company.

It is a matter of self-preservation to the farmers along the river to take steps to do away with the disastrous overflow of the river which comes with every little rain and it is believed that a drainage company can be organized with little opposition that will forever eliminate the destructive overflow.

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BARBER SHOP—209 East Third, shave 10c; haircut 25c. 7-12*

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Seed corn, Reed's Yellow Dent, 80 bu., $2.00 per bushel. John Hoshor, 2 miles east, one mile south of town. 4-14*

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, Rose Comb Reds, 12½c each. Mrs. Elmer Young, Bedison, Mo. 9-11*

FOR SALE—To clean up, three bargains in corn planters. W. W. Jones & Co. 11-14

FOR SALE—Coil wire springs and cotton topped mattress, $5.00; revolving office chair, $4.00. Call 222 West Fourth or phone 3351. 11-15*

FOR SALE—Small barn to be removed from lot. Eldon Lloyd, 422 West First St. 8-14*

FOR SALE—4 pigs, weight about 70 lbs. 324 West 6th St. Han. 428. Far. 251. 9-11*

FOR SALE—Caridad oats on Burlington track. Maryville Feed & Milling Co., West Third St. Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 10-12

FOR SALE—Conkey's poultry remedies. "Don't worry, Conkey's will cure me." Maryville Feed & Milling Co., West Third street, Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 10-12

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Office room or flat over Electric Theatre, newly refinished. See George Yantis. 9-11

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern, located at 602 East 4th St. Call Han. 55. 4tf.

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

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WANTED—Clean, white rags for use at St. Francis hospital. Inquire at hospital. 9-11

WANTED—Married man wants job on farm, experienced. Frank Ulmer, Hanamo phone. 10-12

WANTED—Furnished house or rooms for light housekeeping. Leave your address at this office. 11-14*

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Mrs. Frank T. Hall, Farmers phone 5-14. 10-12

WANTED—Young woman attending Normal wishes to work for room and board. Call Democrat-Forum for address. 10-12*

WANTED—Everybody to know that Graham's store is now showing the largest variety of hosiery ever shown in Maryville. Prices below normal. See our windows. 5-11

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cummins and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Burch of Clearmont, were in Maryville on business yesterday.

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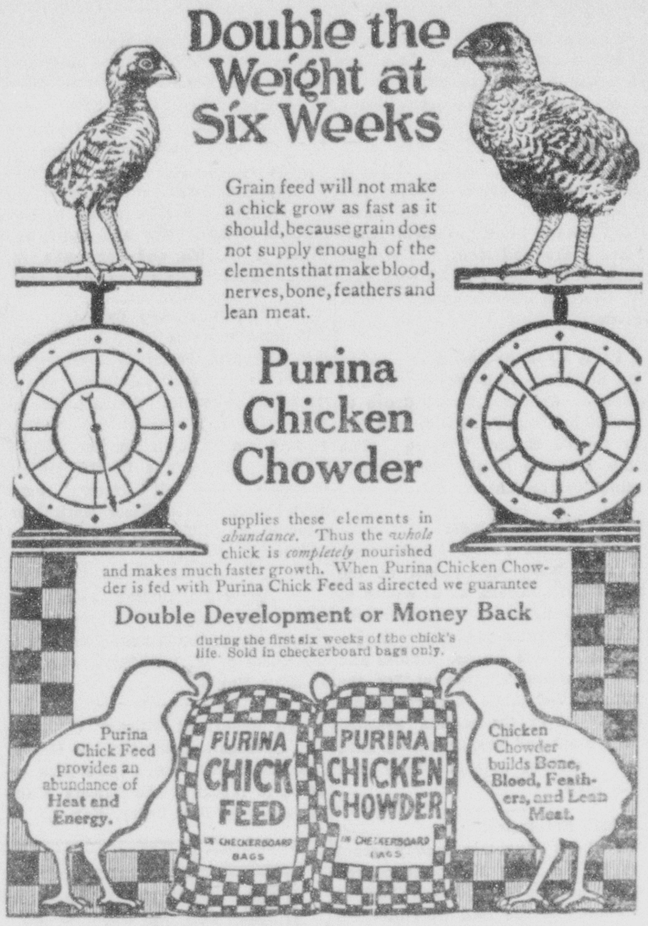
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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, May 11.— WHEAT — May, $3.19½; July, $2.49½.

CORN—May, $1.55½; July, $1.47⅜.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, May 11.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700; steers, $11.20@$12.25; cows, $6.11.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; top, $16.25; bulk, $15.50@$16.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 11.—CATTLE— Receipts, 2,500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market, 10c to 15c higher; top, $16.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000; market, 10c to 15c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, May 11.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,800; market, 10c to 15c higher.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500; market, 10c to 15c higher.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter per lb	38c
Eggs, per doz	28c
Hens, per lb	18
Hides, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Roosters, per lb	10

Berry Hann Enlists.

Berry Hann, the 19-year-old son of C. I. Hann of this place, has enlisted in the United States army at Lawrence, Kan., according to a letter to his father this week. Berry was finishing his second year in the Baker university, and with a large body of Baker students, answered the call to the colors. Throughout the west many college men are enlisting in the army and navy.—Burlington Junction Post.

Attends Rural Commencement.

Prof. H. A. Miller of the State Normal School is at Bigelow today attending the Rural school commencement exercises there.

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NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

"Public sentiment here strongly favors amendment authorizing Col. Roosevelt to recruit an army for prompt service in Europe. Also amendment prohibiting sale of liquor to soldiers. Worth county farmers are making strong efforts to raise a big crop of grain, but they do not want it used for booze."—Petition to Congress by Grant City citizens.

I don't know much about International law, or about this "overt act" stuff, but down in "Possum Hollow" if a feller spits terbacker on another fellow's boot accidental like, it don't mean nothing. But if he does it apurpose it means that hell's gonna be poppin.—Milan Standard.

Navy beans, buckwheat, sorghum and pumpkins were the four crops chosen from a list of fifteen by the King City Improvement Association last week as the most profitable objects of a food drive in that locality. To the person raising most beans on 625 square feet of ground a prize of $10 will be given, second $7.50 and third $5.00. For the most sorghum raised on a half acre three more prizes were offered—$20, $10 and $5. The best one acre plots of buckwheat will draw $20, $10 and $5. And for the biggest pumpkin an award of $5 is offered and $2.50 for the next.

A tidal wave of boze struck Saline, a town near the northern border of Mercer county one day last week, says the Princeton Post. A freight shipment of 288 pints of whiskey arrived there for one, W. Harris, and thus far the officers of the law have been unable to find anybody answering to that name.

The "Tarkiomo" is the title of the high school annual recently published by the junior class of the Tarkio high school.

The big horse and mule feeding and training plant at Lathrop, where 30,000 British horses and mules are frequently to be seen may become a mobilization point for U. S. mounts. Guyton & Harrington, the owners of this immense plant and five similar ones at Kansas City, St. Louis, Nashville, Tenn., Columbia, Tenn., and Port Chalmette, La., have tendered their services and the use of their plants to the United States during the German war. The combined capacity of these plants is 108,000 head of horses and mules.

Ten minutes after he had gone from the house and his mother's watchful care little James Roger, a 2-year-old Cameron boy, was found dead in a tub of water into which he had fallen face downward.

At $24 a ton a carload of hay shipped last week to St. Joseph brought George Hinkle, of Forest City, a check for $293. "Can you beat it?" asks the News.

Doubtless the first carload shipment of cornmeal ever made from Holt county was that made by the Mound City Mill Co. last week to the Libby Flour Co., of St. Joseph. This makes a total of 90,000 pounds of cornmeal recently sold to these wholesalers from the local mill which has ground 2,700 pounds of meal a day for the past two weeks.—Mound City News-Jeffersonian.

With 400 Brwon Leghorn hens, T. E. Applegate has sold $356 worth of eggs since February 1. Egg sales in February were $80, in March $150, and from April 1 to 21, $126.—Princeton Post.

Among the outgoing freight shipments from Lathrop last week were 32 cars of British horses to Jersey City and 30 cars of British mules to Newport News.

A brooder lamp was the cause of a fire which destroyed an old landmark near Lathrop—the pioneer dwelling on the old J. Q. A. Kemper farm.

Possibly the most ancient set of books in northwest Missouri is the 6-volume set of Pope's Translation of Homer's Iliad, printed in London in 1732, and now owned by Thomas Miller of Forest City. When a lad, Mr. Miller saw his father buy these books from a London bookseller. That was in 1846 and a few years later Mr. Miller brought the books with him to America and they have remained in his ownership ever since, and are well preserved.

At Westboro a $28.50 check was handed Wm. Laumann the other day for the 80 dozen eggs he brought to town.

A dredge boat crew is now at work straightening the West Tarkio River in Atchison county.

Rather than almost literally to jump from the frying pan into the fire Pete Jauntz hung by one arm from a hot steam pipe directly above a running power-house engine at Tarkio the other day until rescued. It took nerve to hang on till his arm was severely burned, but it would have fared worse with him had he fallen. He had been thrown into this predicament by the falling of the ladder on which he was working.

A 25-acre vegetable garden, including 15 acres of potatoes, 2 acres of strawberries, 1 of onions and similar areas of later crops is the principal patriotism of Frank A. Woodruff, landlord of the Woodruff Hotel at Gallatin. The garden is in the Wabash lowlands, says the North Missourian, with provision for irrigation if necessary.

Owing to the high price of stock many bluegrass pastures have been plowed up and are being planted to corn.—Northeast Daviess correspondent in Gallatin North Missourian.

Not content with living in times of record pork prices a Worth county pig started down the public high road one day last week and successfully risked a head-on encounter with an automobile. Though the pig escaped unhurt the car was turned over and the three passengers, John Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Gentry slightly injured.

A new fire engine mounted on a Ford chassis is now in use at Grant City. The citizens voted $1,000 in bonds toward its purchase and the fire company will raise the balance of $1,250, says the Worth County Times.

One of the three carloads composing a $10,000 shipment of fat stock to St. Joseph by Frank Jared, of Hopkins, was of hogs which averaged 600 pounds each and brought $90 a head, says the Journal.

A motor line is now running between Smithville and North Kansas City, thereby making a great improvement in the passenger service for Smithville, Nassau, Gashland and Linden, where stops will be made on schedule time. The car, operated by Mr. R. D. Arnold, will make the trip twice daily.

With the price at 35 and 36 cents a dozen, $4,000 worth of eggs were bought by Gallatin merchants and produce dealers, Saturday, April 21. That's more than 10,000 dozen, about 400 cases or, to be exact, 133,332 eggs.

Jewell Mayes in the Richmond Missourian says that tomatoes were not named for Thomas Jefferson, although that illustrious man did bring the first tomatoes to this country from France. Our state secretary of agriculture has it straight from his grandfather, Wiley Mayes, Sr., who was born in Tennessee in 1809, and heard the first-hand comment which followed the introduction of "love apples" into this country.

A yearling steer with a wooden leg is doing quite well, thank you, and kicking up his heels as of old, according to the Richmond Missourian. This remarkable sight may be seen on the farm of W. D. Brown, and the pegleg was fitted to the cripple animal last winter by Dr. Sam S. Morgan.

Road Grading at Guilford.

Road grading and work on concrete culverts has been started in the Guilford community, under the direction of J. V. Pugh, M. Ellis and W. E. Brittain, members of the town board.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello, his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 22nd day of June 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County at Deed Book 124, page 97, conveyed to the undersigned, J. S. Shinabargar, all their right, title, interest and estate in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: The east one-half of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township Sixty-three (63), of Range Thirtyfour (34), which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid, now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee, will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door, in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expense of executing this trust.

J. S. SHINABARGAR, Trustee.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1917.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Terrence W. Costello and Marcella C. Costello his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust, dated the 25th day of September, 1915, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county, at Deed Book 124, page 142, conveyed to the undersigned, E. F. Wolfert, all their right, title, interest and estate, in and to the following described Real Estate, situated in the County of Nodaway, State of Missouri, viz.: All of the southwest one-fourth (¼) and all that part of the southwest quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) lying west of Platte River all in Section Thirty-three (33), Township Sixty-three (63), Range Thirty-four (34), containing 183 acres more or less; also north one-half (½), of northeast quarter (¼), of the northeast quarter (¼) of Section Six (6), Township Sixty-two (62), of Range Thirty-four (34), containing 20 acres more or less; which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas, said note has become due and is unpaid now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, I the undersigned, Trustee will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at West Court House door in the City of Maryville, in the County of Nodaway, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1917, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

E. F. WOLFERT, Trustee.

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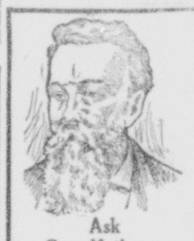

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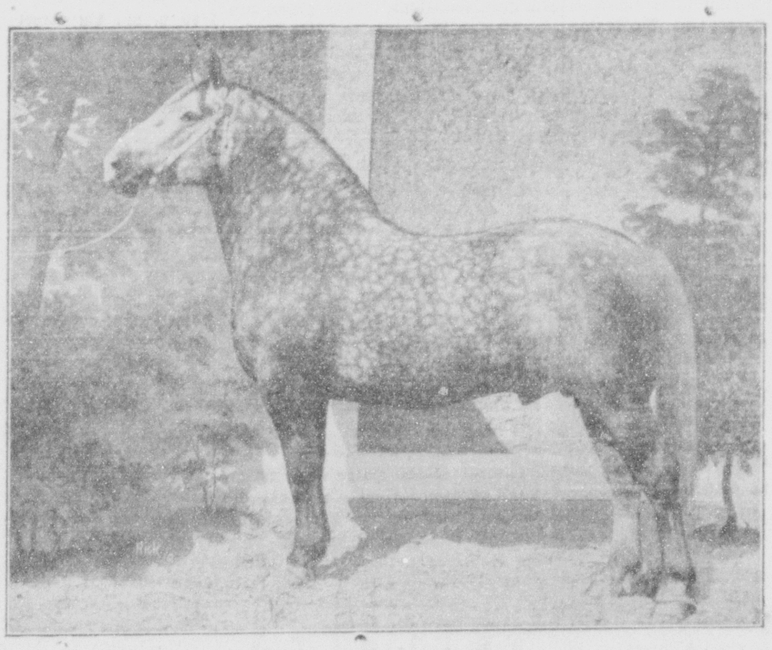

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